THE WEATHER

Fair tonight. Saturday probably occasional showers. Moderate variable winds.

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SETTLE THE MILL STRIKE

Or the Exodus of Skilled Help Will Ruin the Factories

The mill operatives during this strike have shown commendable respect for the law. They have submitted a proposition for a reasonable compromise, but the mill officials have thus far made no attempt to meet them half way.

It is reported that the power to settle this strike rests with the mill treasurers in Boston. If they lived in Lowell and kept in touch with public sentiment here they would realize the danger of their delay and their apparent obstinacy.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

To Take Action on Report of the Expert Accountant

The municipal council will meet next Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The report of the expert accountant relative to the city finances will be acted upon at that time and the matter of a site for a contagious hospital will also be discussed. It is the intention of the council to get down to business as soon as possible on the hospital question and it is expected that something definite will be arrived at on Tuesday.

A man by the name of Keefe called at Commissioner Cummings' office a few days ago and offered land on the top of Centralville Heights for a contagious hospital. He said he owns about 87,000 square feet of land there and he thinks it would be an ideal site for a contagious hospital. There are very few houses in the locality and the land is less than 60 feet from the main sewer.

Commissioner Cummings has an idea that it might be possible to arrange with the state to build a contagious hospital on the state's land in Tewksbury. "I do not know," said Mr. Cummings, "that satisfactory arrangements could be made but if it were possible to make such arrangements I think it would be a good idea to build a hospital near the state hospital in Tewksbury. The proposed hospital will have to be built according to plans of the state board of health and I don't see why the state couldn't build the hospital and let Lowell pay the freight. It could be built and conducted under the supervision of the state authorities. The law says that the city must build and maintain but it doesn't say that it shall build within the city limits, at least I do not understand it so. I do not know that the suggestion is worth anything but it seems to me that it wouldn't do any harm to look into it."

Commissioner Brown

The commissioner of streets and highways, George H. Brown, was going over the expert accountant's report when the city hall reporter for The Sun dropped in at his office this forenoon. The commissioner called to the reporter's attention that according to the accountant's figures there were but two years in the last ten or eleven years that anything had been paid on the temporary loan and one of those years was 1910, the year that he was mayor. The amount paid that year was $100,000 and in 1899 the sum of $25,000 was paid.

"I have been quoted as saying, last fall, that if elected I would save the city $100,000 the first year," said the commissioner, "and I want to say that I never made that statement. I did say that $100,000 would be required for this year and I claimed that enough new property could be unearthed to make up that amount. I believe that the city of Lowell is not receiving what it should receive in taxes and I have always maintained that the revenue of the city could be increased if the discovery of new property was properly gone into."

Another Mad Dog

Dr. Hamblet of the health department despatched another dog to the happy hunting ground this morning. The dog showed symptoms of rabies and was shot by the doctor. The dog was owned by a Mr. Collins of Clinton avenue.

More Roily Water

More complaints are coming in at the office of the commissioner of water works at city hall relative to roily water. One man sent a bottle of water to the office of the board of health today that he drew, he said, from the faucet in his house and it was pretty dirty water. The car sprinklers are responsible for the trouble, but Supt. Thomas of the water department believes that the blowing out of the water mains next Sunday afternoon will help some. The filling of the car sprinklers dislodges the sediment from the walls of the pipe and it is carried along with the water, and the blowing out process will do away with a lot of the sediment.

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MAKING GOOD

MEMPHIS MANAGER PLEASED WITH MOULTON'S WORK

A report from Memphis says that Manager Bernhard is elated over the way that Moulton is showing up. He is confident that the former Lowell second baseman will be a great assistance to him this season.

LOCAL STRIKERS

Grow Impatient and Plan More Aggressive Tactics to Win Victory

"Will the agents come to some agreement and make concessions today?" Such is the question or remark heard all over the city today. It was expected the mill officials would offer ten per cent. increase, but as yet nothing is forthcoming. The mill officials will not speak, and the operatives are more determined than ever to stay away from the mills until their employers have acquiesced to their demands. The strikers, despite the fact that they have now been out of work for three weeks, seem happy, and the Portuguese say if the mill agents or treasurers do not "come up with the goods" in a couple of weeks, they will ask for 20 per cent. intead of 15.

One of the most enthusiastic meetings of the I. W. W. was held this morning. There was not much business transacted, but the enthusiasm was at high pitch, especially when Dr. Demopoulos, leader of the Greek strikers, announced that if a settlement of the strike is not brought about within a week he would allow the Greeks to go on the picket line.

The members of the Weavers' union will be paid off tomorrow afternoon, at which time they will receive their second pay of $4 per week. It was announced by the executive council of the Textile Workers of America this morning that a relief station will be opened next week if there is no change in the situation.

A small strike broke out in the Brookside mill in Westford this morning, when all the girls employed on the work known as Jack spooling, left their work on account of a cut down which they claim went into effect last Monday. The strikers claim if they do not return to work the entire plant will be crippled in a few days.

THE TEXTILE WORKERS DID NOT MEET TODAY

The executive council of the Textile Workers of America held no meeting this morning, but they announced that the members of the Weavers' union will be paid off tomorrow afternoon in their hall, 32 Middle street. This will be the second pay they will receive from the union since the strike began. The council has sent an appeal to all the trades unions of New England and money is now coming in. Next Monday a relief station will be opened for those in need, who are not entitled to pay. They are very confident that none of their members will suffer while the strike is on, and they will see that every one has plenty to eat.

There was a rumor circulated in this city that a number of children would be shipped away as was done in Lawrence, but this as far as can be learned is unfounded. All that could be learned is that a number of skilled help are leaving the city. A large number of French and English speaking people as well as a number of foreigners left the city yesterday going to Fall River, New Bedford, and other centres. The Belgians, who are considered to be the skilled help of the Merrimack mill, especially in the velvet departments, are going away in large numbers. The Greeks are also preparing for an exodus, a large number of them planning to leave for the old country.

THE MORNING PARADE WAS HELD TODAY

The regular morning parade and picketing was held today and the line of marchers was by far the largest seen in Lowell. After marching up and down Jackson street for some time, the parade split and a portion of it went to the Waterhead mills in Lawrence street, while the other toured the different mill districts. There was no trouble reported, but there was more enthusiasm displayed than on any other day.

THE STRIKE COMMITTEE MET AT I. W. W. HEADQUARTERS

At 10.30 o'clock the strike committee met in the I. W. W. hall in Hanover street and the hall was packed to its doors, many being obliged to turn away for lack of room. The meeting was called to order by William Trautman and the routine business was done away with. The report of nationalities was to the effect that everybody is firm and will stick to the end, and by the way they expressed themselves this morning, if a settlement is not forthcoming soon, something will happen in the near future.

It was reported that the officials of the Massachusetts mill were trying to get the spinning department going, and it was voted to have a strong picket line at that mill this noon. There was a large crowd in the vicinity of the mill this noon, but no disorder was reported. It was also reported that in some mills preparations were being made either to open up or to close for a long period. At this point Dr. Demopoulos said it was poor policy for them to speak about the doings of the mills. "The mill agents," said the doctor, "will believe we are weakening, but it is the contrary, our line is strengthening every day, and it will be better for us to let the mills go along with their business, and we will attend to ours. We are out for 15 per cent. increase and we will not quit until we receive it."

Photo by Marion

EDMOND SICARD,
President of Loomfixers' Union.

The members of the Leather Workers' union have offered their hall gratis to the strike committee for day sessions, and they also promised to help the cause financially, and it is expected they will donate $100 weekly until the strike is settled. They also voted $10 for the Giovannitti and Ettor defense, as well as promised help in the line of food.

The relief committee reported that yesterday they attended to hundreds of cases and their people need not fear, there is plenty of money and everybody in need will be taken care of.

Dr. Demopoulos offered his services gratis to anyone of the strikers who will need medical aid, and he said Mr. Chagarouly, druggist, at the corner of Market and Suffolk streets, would supply the drugs free or at cost. He then announced that if the strike was not settled this week, he would allow the Greeks to go out on the picket line, and one cannot tell just what that will mean. The Portuguese said if the strike was not settled in a few days they would ask 20 per cent. increase and would not return to work until said increase is granted, and he it said the Portuguese are well fixed as far as money is concerned at present. They have a baker supplying them with bread at cost, and over 1000 families are being fed through this bakery. When these two announcements were made, the crowd applauded and shouted so much that the noise could be heard many blocks away. The picketers would only be too glad to have the Greeks with them.

Monday morning the strikers will meet at 5 o'clock and every one promised to be in line. The Lithuanian band and several other musicians will be there with their instruments, and banners and other souvenirs will be distributed to the paraders.

At the close of the meeting the gathering was addressed by Mr. Dennis Callahan, chairman of the strike committee of Clinton, and by the Greek leader of the latter place, Mr. Harry Lampropoulis.

ANOTHER STRIKE IS ON AT THE BROOKSIDE

Another strike broke out this morning, when the jack spoolers of the Brookside mill in Westford quit work after they had been apprised of the fact that a cut down had been enforced upon them since Monday. The strikers number eight, all women, but they say if they do not return to work soon, the entire plant which employs about 40 people, will be crippled.

The strikers called at the office of The Sun this afternoon and said they received $1.90 per 100 pounds of yarn they turned out, but since Monday they were to receive $1.45 for the same amount of yarn. They were apprised of this fact only this morning, and immediately they stopped working. The overseer it is said then offered them $1.60 for the work, but the workers refused the offer. They say they earn on an average about $8 per week, and out of this amount they have to pay car fares to the amount of 60 cents a week.

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Signed,
MINNIE O'CONNELL, Pres.
Working Girls' Club,
Boott Mill.

SUPERIOR COURT

Case of Connors vs. B. & M. Road on Trial

The case of Edward Connors vs. the Boston & Maine R. R. which was on trial when the civil session of the superior court was adjourned yesterday afternoon was resumed at the opening of court this morning. The plaintiff is suing to recover for alleged personal injuries received while in the employ of the defendant company.

Two Verdicts

In the case of Hill against Bailey, a verdict of $97.39 was returned for the plaintiff late yesterday afternoon. This case was given to the jury early in the morning. A verdict for the plaintiff of $137 was also returned in the case of Daniel C. Shepard of Newton vs. Mattie L. Muchmore of Waltham.

Mr. Joseph Belisle of St. Marc des Carrieres and formerly of Lowell, is visiting his many relatives in this city.

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DAMAGED BY FIRE

Blaze on the Steamer Michigan

BOSTON, April 12.—The Warren line steamer Michigan was damaged by fire which broke out in number 5 hold of the liner while she was tied up at her pier in Charlestown today. The fire was placed under control with a comparatively small loss. The hold contained cotton, grain and general cargo. The Michigan was scheduled to leave for Liverpool today, but it is thought that the vessel will be detained because of the blaze.

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LAWYER MORSE

Seeks Commutation of Richeson Sentence

BOSTON, April 12.—Clarence V. T. Richeson's attorney, William A. Morse, conferred with District Attorney Pelletier at the latter's office last evening over the petition for the commutation of the condemned murderer's sentence.

By law the district attorney will be required to make a report to the governor and council, with recommendations, regarding the petition. When the petition is filed on April 26 it will be sent at once to Mr. Pelletier. Neither the district attorney nor Atty. Morse would talk concerning the conference of last night. They were closeted from 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon till 7.15, and then went out to dinner together.

Atty. Morse stated to Mr. Pelletier the arguments he would put before the governor and council.

The attitude which the district attorney would take on the matter was the chief topic of the consultation. Attorney Morse urged the district attorney to favor commutation for the reasons he outlined.

These included the mental condition of Richeson at the time he committed the crime, at the time he pleaded guilty, at the time he mutilated himself in Charles street jail and at present; also evidence of his mental condition which Attorney Lee is to bring from Virginia, the saving of expense to the county by the plea of guilty and to the crime of murder was urged strongly.

The district attorney from the start of the murder case has publicly maintained that it was an act of deliberation, deserving of no clemency. It might be within his province to adhere to that view in his report to the governor and council, or, on the other hand, in view of any new evidence secured since the death of Avis Linnell and Richeson's plea of guilty to recommend executive clemency. He refuses to state his attitude on the question at the present time.

TAUGHT TO STEAL

That's What Girl Told Salem Police

SALEM, April 12.—Mary Haverylik, 15 years old, of Peabody, astonished the Salem police yesterday. Smiling, she stood in the police station, confessed that she had robbed several stores, giving various false names and addresses, and stated a Lawrence woman had taken her in charge and given her a course in how to steal.

Mary walked into the W. S. Lee company's jewelry store, Salem, yesterday, and passed a ring set with five stones to the young woman clerk.

"I want to get that changed," said Mary. "It was bought here a week ago."

The clerk noticed the ring bore the price tag of another jewelry store. "The proprietor is out just now," said the clerk. "You call around in an hour and we'll fix you up." Mary took the ring and walked out.

An hour later she walked in and into the hands of a policeman, who had many questions to ask. They took her to the station house.

According to the police, Mary said she stole the ring from the store of G. Willis Whipple & Co., Salem, and confessed to other thefts, including that of a ring from the Star Hewitt store, and another ring from the Lee company.

Asked for her name, she said she was Mary Ryansky of 12 Custom House place. A policeman learned this was not true. Then Mary gave other names and addresses. The police haven't had time to investigate the story about the female Fagin.

Mary finally gave her right name and address, and because of her age was taken home and left in custody of her parents at 75 Lowell street, Peabody.

FOR MANSLAUGHTER

Raffaele Palma to be Sentenced Monday

BOSTON, April 12.—Raffaele Palma, indicted for murder in the first degree, was found guilty of manslaughter by a jury in the superior criminal court yesterday before Judge Chase.

Palma, who is 39 years old, lives at 296 North street and is a fisherman, shot and killed Giovanni Megna of 6 Vernon place on the afternoon of Sunday, Jan. 7, in front of 6 Unity court in the North end.

He is also under indictment for assault with intent to kill Agrippino Spiizza of 437 Hanover street at the same time and place. That charge will probably be put on file.

Megna died instantly by a bullet wound in his brain. Spiizza, though shot through the chest, recovered.

After a game of bocce in the house, it was testified, Megna made demands for money on Palma and Spiizza.

Judge Chase set bail at once at $10,000. Palma was committed in default of it. He was told to be ready for sentence Monday. The maximum for the offense is 20 years.

Police officers testified Megna was a bad man.

MONTHLY SOCIAL

AND ENTERTAINMENT AT FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The monthly social at the First Congregational church was held last night with an entertainment given by the chorus choir under the direction of Mr. Frank B. Murphy and readings by pupils of Miss Adelaide Noyes. The program was as follows: Selections by the chorus choir; reading, Loretta Barry; song, Donald Hanson; quartet, Miss Powers, Mrs. Fullerton, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Hanson; song, Miss Lillian Powers; reading, Miss Catherine Kelley; selection by the chorus choir. Accompanist, Mrs. Ida Brown.

The matrons were Mrs. William P. Means, Mrs. George Heath, assisted by Mrs. John Sawyer, Mrs. Jude Wadleigh, Mrs. Frank Munn, Mrs. Carrie Stafford, Mrs. Ed. Sanborn, Mrs. Samuel Snow, Mrs. Lonto, Mrs. Horace Hanson, Mrs. Garnet, Mrs. Robert Fulton, Mrs. Orvil Robinson, Mrs. R. B. Robinson, Mrs. Randal, Mrs. Charles Worren, Mrs. Mertrude, Miss Whittier, Mrs. Worden.

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We have made many changes in this department recently, to meet the demands of our rapidly increasing business. We invite your inspection of our new line of carpets and floor coverings, including linoleums, oil cloths, matting, etc. We carry not only the best American linoleum and floor covering, but also German and Scotch goods, specializing on the German Rixdorfer Parquet floor covering. We also have a large variety of linoleum borders, in various widths, suitable to be used in connection with rugs. We have door mats in rubber, steel, cocoa and brush. We call particular attention to our splendid stock of fine rugs, in Wilton, Brussels, Orientals, Axminsters, Velvets, Tapestries and Shirvans; perfect goods in up-to-date patterns.

Our buyer, Mr. James S. Hastings, has searched the markets for the latest novelties in draperies and lace curtains, with the result that we have many very handsome patterns to offer, in Antique, Renaissance, Marie Antoinette, Brussels, scrims, nets and muslins. French and domestic tapestries, velours, corduroys; imported and domestic cretonnes, printed scrims, silkalines, sateens and sunfast materials.

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One Lot Utility Boxes—Nicely made, in desirable size. Regular price $1.98. Special price $1.69

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REV. FR. LAMOTHE

Received Several Gifts from the Children

Yesterday being the feast of St. Leon, the little pupils of Notre Dame de Lourdes parochial school took occasion to greet their pastor, Rev. Leon

REV. LEON LAMOTHE,

Lamothe, O. M. I., and as a token of esteem they presented him several useful gifts. In the afternoon the reverend gentleman was escorted to the school hall where the children had all gathered and there a delightful entertainment was held.

At the close of the program Fr. Lamothe was presented a fine lace surplice a pretty biretta and a sum of gold, the gifts being packed in a beautiful basket of cut flowers. Fr. Lamothe although taken by surprise, thanked his little friends in a charming manner.

The children as well as their teachers deserve the greatest of praise for their share in the celebration. They have shown a remarkable spirit for some time past and it was mainly through their efforts that the money was realized for the tokens presented to the pastor.

COL. ROOSEVELT

To be in Lowell Tomorrow Night

Col. Theodore Roosevelt who will pass through Lowell tomorrow night has made a change in his program. It was previously announced that he would reach this city at 11.10 o'clock and deliver a speech from the rear of his car at the Middlesex street station. Several local people communicated with the ex-president and requested that it would be appreciated if he reached Lowell earlier in the night. According to the new arrangement Col. Roosevelt will reach the Middlesex street station about 9.45 o'clock Saturday night and his car will be sidetracked. He will then deliver a lengthy address. Later on his car will be picked up by the New York train and he will return to his home.

THE CHIPPEWAS

The members of the Chippewa club held a meeting at their rooms in Gorham street last night. A musical program was carried out after the business meeting, as follows: Piano solos, Miss Lila Mone and Miss May Gallagher; songs, John Foley and Thomas Hessian and a monolog by Alfred Campbell. A dance will be held in Dracut tomorrow evening and the officers for the party were elected as follows: General manager, Thomas Hessian; assistant general manager, Lillian Mone; floor director, John Foley; assistant floor director, May Gallagher; treasurer, Alfred Campbell; chief aid, Daniel Sullivan.

PROF. HOWARD DEAD

MIDDLEBURY, Vt., April 12.—Prof. Walter Howard, the first dean of Middlebury college, died at his home here today. Mr. Howard had been a professor in the college for 23 years. He was well known in Vermont as a member of the state board of education.

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LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

At the Opera House tonight and Saturday afternoon and evening P. Paul Marcel will present a repertoire of his best plays, in the same form that has characterized their success, and the identical excellent company which will be seen assisting him comprises the following names: George Dunestre, Mme. C. P. Marcel, E. Meussot, M'lle. Maud Queyrens, Roger Guyot, M'lle. Eva Dereynes, G. Miral, M'lle. Jane Dherny, Mme. Cotah and others.

The company has but recently concluded a very successful engagement at the Majestic theatre in Boston, and the press of that city proclaimed Paul Marcel a master of his art and his supporting artists one of the greatest combinations that has ever appeared in Boston, where they return for a mid-spring engagement prior to their departure for Paris. New York City is included in the itinerary.

"THE LITTLEST REBEL"

During their three months of phenomenal success at the Boston theatre, Dustin and William Farnum, stars of "The Littlest Rebel" which will be seen Tuesday, April 16th, have firmly established themselves as Hub favorites. It is the universal opinion that the talented brothers and clever actors have hit upon a piece of theatrical property in "The Littlest Rebel" that will last them for several seasons to come and place them closer to where they belong in the American theatre than has been the case in recent years. The Farnums have the distinction of being the only stars in this country who are brothers. A feeling of brotherly love exists between Dustin and William to such an extent that there is not the least bit of jealousy and one always declares that the other is the best actor. Theatregoers of Boston will never forget the Farnums and their clever work as the northern and southern soldiers as well as the dainty and captivating child study as exhibited by Mary Miles Minter in the role of Virgie. This clever actress is the pivot on which the play turns and as General Grant remarks in the fourth act, "If you don't stop interfering with the routine of our army and leading our officers away from their duty, I'll put you in the guard house." Whereupon Virgie bends her head sidewise and looks up at him with so much childish supplication that he is forced to forget that he is the "iron man" and stoops to kiss her rosy lips.

"THE CONFESSION"

"The Confession," which was produced at the Bijou Theatre, Broadway, New York City, will be presented at the Opera House on Friday, April 19.

The story that is told is said to be a remarkable one and the plot is well developed and finds a strong conclusion and great dramatic power, heart interest, a lesson and a purpose.

DOCKSTADER'S MINSTRELS

Lew Dockstader's Great Minstrels with Neil O'Brien, Manuel Romain, Bob Albright and three score of other well-known black face artists, will be seen here at an early date. This year's organization is said to be the greatest that Mr. Dockstader has ever had. Mr. Dockstader's big song hit, "Lord, Have Mercy on a Married Man," promises to be as big a success as "Everybody Works But Father."

"THE COUNTRY BOY"

In "The Country Boy," which comes to the Opera House Saturday, April 20, matinee and night, direct from a long and successful engagement at the Park theatre, Boston, the principal character is a youth who comes to New York city to win a fortune and a great name which he intends to offer to the dearest girl in all the world just as soon as he can go back home bedecked with sufficient laurels. But at the very first drop of the hammer he becomes entangled with a city girl and forgets the girl back home until the city girl has thrown him over after he has wasted all his time, money and business chances because of her. Then he hears that his country girl sweetheart has jilted him too, and he feels so very sure that life is not worth living that he tries to kill himself. But he doesn't succeed for a firm hand grips him, shakes the nonsense out of him and sends him back to the shelter and protection of his own home town where he finally succeeds in making the name and fortune he went away to seek. It is a pretty story excellently told, with a wealth of character sketches and comical situations.

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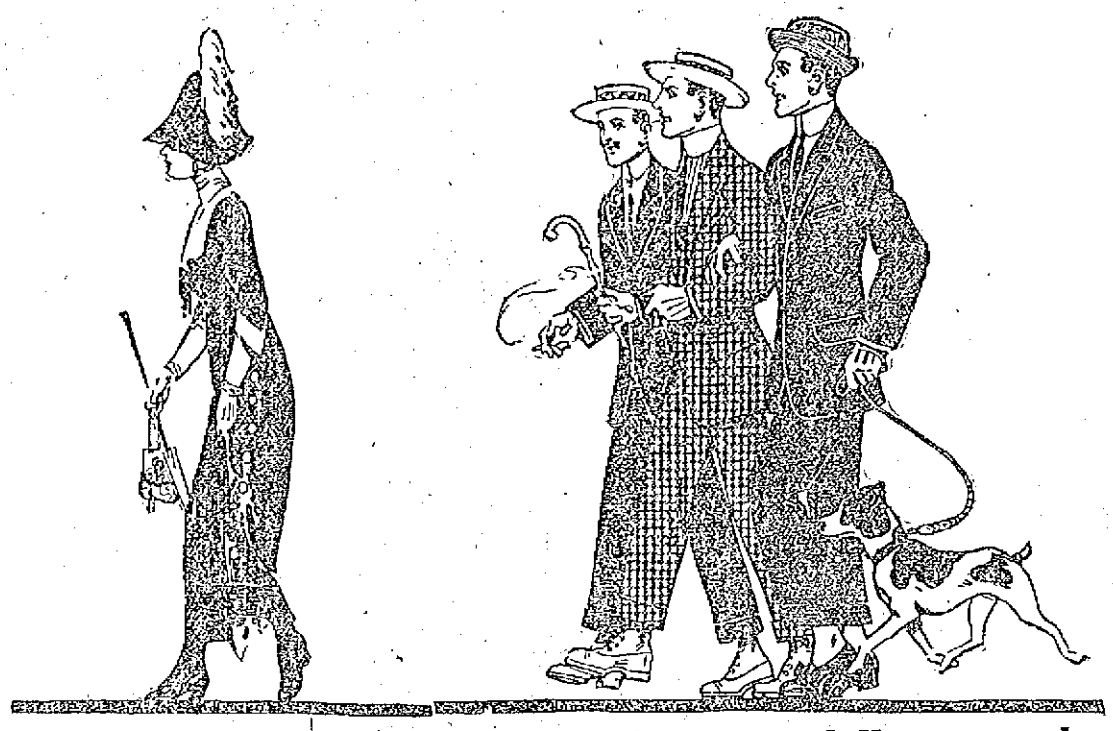
KEITH'S LOWELL THEATRE

The act of the Hantons at Keith's this week aside from its side-splitting comedy features is wonderfully interesting inasmuch as it demonstrates the perfection of imitation. Two men imitate each other in every lightning-like movement so perfectly that for several minutes the audience is under the impression that he is watching one man performing before a life-sized mirror. The mirror feature of the Hantons act is alone well worth the price. The Aitken-Whitman trio of contortionists have caused more wonderment than any other benders who ever appeared here. The manner in which they defy all bones and joints passeth understanding. Barnes and Robinson in a singing, talking and piano playing act cause great merriment. Their repartee while not particularly edifying is most laughable. Gracie Emmett and company present a most pleasing Irish comedy sketch, entitled "Mrs. Murphy's Second Husband," in which an enterprising widow marries a dyspeptic husband with a substantial life insurance policy. Darrell and Conway exemplify the perfection of "rag-chewing" in the role of a couple of vaudeville performers who are forced to dress for their act on an empty stage. Spiegel and Dunn appear in black face and sing and dance in a most satisfactory manner. Scheck and D'Armon, from the old world, sing, do hand balancing and acrobatic work along with character changes in a merry hodge podge. Swan and Bombard present an agreeable singing and dancing act. The orchestra offers "Baron Trenck." There'a an exceptionally big bill coming next week.



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MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

One of the best balanced bills of the season is the week's offering at the Merrimack Square theatre. Every act is of a superior quality and in combination make one of the cleverest programs gotten together by Mgr. Carroll in some months. R. G. Edwards & Co. presenting "The Pitcher," a baseball episode, is excellent entertainment and making a big hit with the patrons of the theatre.

Prof. Robert's Trained Rats, Cats Dog, is one of the greatest novelties on the vaudeville stage. These tiny animals are trained to perform many tricks and they go through them without the slightest hesitancy. The young folk especially, enjoy the act.

Dixon Peters, interpreting well known characters from the works of Charles Dickens, is sharing in the favorable recognition which the entire bill is receiving and the Straub Sisters, known as the soprano and the dancense, in "Fads and Fancies of Girls," are especially entertaining.

Miss Anna McMahon, assisted by Mr. Henry Fearing, introduce some high-class musical numbers. "Puck Un Your Lips Miss Lindy," one of Eli Dawson's latest composition, sent to Manager Carroll, is being featured. The piano selections by Mr. Fearing are especially good.

The photo-plays for the last three days of the week are the output of the biggest and best manufacturers of films in this and foreign countries, and include Pathe's Weekly. The views of present-day events are also interesting. Friday night the Merrimack Square theatre concert orchestra will feature selections from the opera "Faust." Friday night also will be "Baseball Night," and all the fans of the city, as well as the members of the Lowell baseball club, are expected to be on hand. Box office telephone 2053.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

It is not true that Bill Looney is considering adopting the stage as a profession but those who saw him last evening are under the impression that should he attempt vaudeville, he would be a big bill for a headliner. To witness his funny antics in "The New Judge" in which he takes the part of the sleepy "cop" is but to laugh, and when he pulled Eddie La Rose up over the footlights by the heels, he simply stopped the show. Kathryn McCrane, who was brought before the judge accused of bigamy but whom the judge called Big Annie, was exceedingly clever and her answers brought roars of laughter. Faust & Faust, two crazy musicians, and Tommie Donnelly, the worst singer in vaudeville with three dandy pictures closed the show.

THEATRE VOYONS

Today the Theatre Voyons shows "Charlie's Reform," a picture issued by the Edison company in conjunction with the Russell Sage foundation dealing with the social center work in school houses. This picture is a well thought out, finely acted and most interesting presentation of the matter

NOTICE

A meeting of the Ladies of Charity of St. John's hospital will be held Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

and will be of great interest to all interested in this work as well as those who enjoy a good dramatic picture. "The Social Secretary," a Lubin, tells a pleasing romance of a young widow who secures a position as a secretary to a rich woman and eventually finds a husband. A laughable comedy is also a part of the bill.

THE ANNUAL SOCIAL

Of Pollard Employes M. B. Association

The seventh annual social and dance by the members of the A. G. Pollard Employes Mutual Benefit association was held last night in Associate hall with a very large attendance. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion, the decorations consisting of bunting, potted ferns and floral pieces.

Dancing started at 8.15 o'clock and continued until midnight, refreshments being served at 11 o'clock when a short intermission was in order. Miner's orchestra was in attendance and between 8 and 8.45 o'clock it rendered a delightful concert.

The officers of the evening were:

Committee of management, Arthur G. LeVeille, F. A. Dubois, Miss Eva C. Jenkins, James R. Richards; floor director, Alfred Ducharme; assistant floor director, Miss Josephine Holden; chief aid, Mr. Paul R. Doherty; reception committee, Frank L. Kimball, Lenoo L. Fortin, Frank A. Smith, Joseph A. Gagnon.

The officers of the association are as follows: President, Pearl E. Kinney; vice president, James R. Richards; treasurer, Justin H. Kimball; secretary, Miss Bessie M. Porter; collector, Miss Mary A. Jutras; auditors, Miss Louise Gervais, Fred A. Dubois.

Off to California

When you wave good-bye to your home town for a summer trip to California, you are in for the most glorious and refreshing vacation you ever could take. When you strike the mountains en route, the best of the fun begins and when at last you burst through the Sierra Nevadas and behold beautiful California, you'll realize that you are living in a different world. Clear skies, exhilarating air, the scent of flowers and finally the rolling, billowing ocean fill up the mind with a treasure house of delight. Health and good cheer abound. I am employed by the Burlington route to help you plan your trip. If you write to me I'll be glad to give you the latest information about the best places to go, and the easiest way to get there. You can go by your choice of either northern or central routes and come back a different way. I'll take all the little details off your mind, engage you a choice berth, buy your tickets and deliver them to you and make sure that you are comfortable the whole way. Reduced fares start June 1st. It is best to get ready early. Have me send you our finely illustrated booklet telling all about California and the coast country. A postal will bring you a copy. Alex Stocks, New England Pass. Agt., C., B. & Q. R. R. Co., 364 Washington street, Boston.

GENERAL GRANT DEAD

He Passed Away Suddenly in New York

NEW YORK, April 12.—General Frederick Dent Grant, commander of the department of the east and son of the Civil war general died suddenly at midnight at the Hotel Buckingham, where he had been secretly taken on Wednesday evening by his physicians. His presence in this city was not known until the news that he had been suddenly stricken was flashed to newspaper offices by the police. A policeman stationed near the hotel had called an ambulance at the request of an employe who told him that General Grant was choking to death.

Although there had been rumors of General Grant's illness and reports that he would never again take up his duties on Governor's Island today's news came as a distinct shock. General Grant had been suffering for some time from heart disease, it is said.

Recent reports that General Grant had been in a private pavilion in St. Luke's hospital in this city suffering from a cancerous growth under the tongue, the same affection which caused the death of his distinguished father, were denied today by the hospital authorities.

Mrs. Grant was with her husband when he died. A nurse was the only other person with her. Drs. Abbe and Dench, his physicians, were late in arriving.

The first intimation that General Grant's condition had suddenly become serious was given when Mrs. Grant telephoned to the hotel clerk about 11.15 o'clock.

"The general's son is dying," she said hysterically. "Get a doctor quickly."

She said he had been seized by a choking spell.

The clerk made an effort to get Dr. Abbe on the telephone. Failing in this he sent a bellboy to the doctor's home.

The boy's running along the street caused Officer Malloy to inquire the reason.

"Gen grant is choking to death; get a doctor," was the response.

Officer Malloy turned in an ambulance call but before the hospital surgeon could arrive Drs. Abbe and Dench had reached the bedside.

The ambulance surgeon and the policeman who went to the apartments were told that there was nothing he could do. Dr. Abbe informed Coroner Holzhauser that he would file a death certificate promptly and that no inquest would be necessary.

A score of newspaper men reached the Buckingham shortly after 12 o'clock in response to the police flash that General Grant was dying. At first efforts were made by the attendants to deny that General Grant was at the hotel, although he was already dead at the time. The management was finally persuaded to communicate with the physicians who announced that General Grant had died before their arrival. Dr. Abbe and Dench later sent down to the hotel management a statement in which they said:

"General Grant died suddenly of heart failure without premonition at midnight. He had retired at 11 o'clock apparently in better condition than for several weeks. Since his recent trip his physical condition had given no special anxiety to his physicians. General Grant had been suffering from diabetes and the attendant digestive disturbances, which seemed, however, to be perfectly under control. This sudden fatal termination came as a great surprise."

Lieut. Marlan Howze, personal aid to the general, announced this morning that Mrs. Grant was bearing the shock with unusual fortitude. She directed that messages be sent to Gen. Grant, Captain U. S. Grant, 3rd, of the engineering corps in Washington, and to his daughter, the Princess Cantacuzene, as well as to other relatives.

For more than a month past General Grant's whereabouts has been a mystery. Following the announcement that he had been granted a four months' leave of absence, expiring June 1, reports were current that an illness believed by many to be cancer of the throat had caused his temporary retirement. These were repeatedly denied at Governors Island, where it was stated repeatedly that General Grant had simply gone south for a rest. Despatches from Tampa, Fla. last week stated that he was at the winter home of Mrs. Potter Palmer of Chicago, a sister of Mrs. Grant.

The report that Gen. Grant was in St. Luke's hospital in this city for operative treatment became public Wednesday and while not officially confirmed was widely credited.

The management of the Buckingham, a quiet little hotel on Fifth avenue, stated this morning that he had been told that General Grant had come directly to the hotel in an automobile from St. Luke's. The patient was apparently at that time in good health and spirits and walked from the automobile to the elevator unassisted.

General Grant's death vacates the post which, next to that of chief of staff, is regarded as the most important in the army, commander-in-chief of the great eastern division. This position is of such importance that it cannot long be permitted to remain vacant; hence it is probable that very soon after the funeral it will be necessary to detail an officer of high rank for the position, probably Major General Carter, now assistant chief of staff. General Carter was the commander of the famous manoeuvre division in Texas last year and has been slated for detail as commander-in-chief of the department of the lakes, with headquarters at Chicago. It is believed that this program will be abandoned in view of the present emergency.

OVERCOME BY THE NEWS

SAN DIEGO, CAL. April 12.—U. S. Grant, Jr., for years a resident of this city, denied himself to all visitors early today when he received the news of the death of his brother, Major General Fred Grant. It was learned that probably neither Mr. Grant nor members of his family would go east to attend the funeral. Mr. Grant's health has been unsatisfactory of late.

GENERAL KEARNEY

TO BE BURIED IN THE NATIONAL CEMETERY

NEW YORK, April 12. The body of Major General Phil Kearney, which has lain for half a century in Trinity churchyard, was placed aboard a Pennsylvania railroad train at Jersey City today for Washington, en route to its last resting place in the national cemetery at Arlington. It is due to reach Washington at 1 o'clock. The flag-draped coffin was taken early in the forenoon from the rotunda of the city hall, where it lay in state since yesterday guarded by a dozen Grand Army veterans on a caisson through the streets to the ferry under the escort of a battalion of infantry and a handful of the survivors of the dead general's command.

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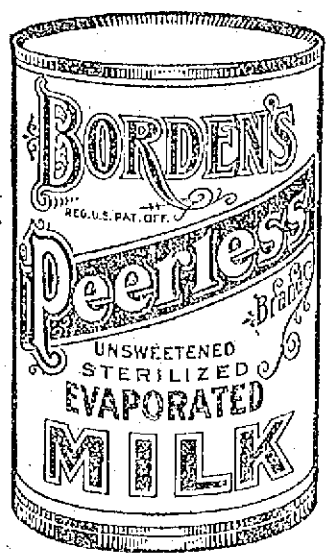

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Spar Varnish, pt	65c
Liquid Granite, qt	85c
Luxberry Finish, qt	85c
Household Varnish, qt	50c
Acme Quality Paints, gal.	$2.00
Liquid Veneer	50c
Bed Bug Destroyer, pt	20c
Roach Food	15c, 25c
Hydrogen Peroxide	15c
Globe Metal Polish	10c, 25c
Bronze Powder, oz	10c
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Sulphur Candles	10c

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FOUR BOYS DROWNED

By the Capsizing of a Boat

LIVERPOOL, O., April 12.—Four boys were drowned early today when a boat in which they were crossing the Ohio river from the West Virginia side capsized 12 miles south of here. A fifth boy was saved. The drowned boys were: Henry Brandt, 29; Earl Brandt, 18; and Hugh Sproat, 18, of Port Homer, O., and Clifford Howard, 17, of Fairview, W. Va.

The five boys attended prayer meeting at Wesley chapel, near New Cumberland, W. Va., last night. Afterward they visited with girl friends until midnight. They set off for home in the boat about 1 a. m.

The accident followed shortly after they pushed away from the shore. The boys were sons of farmers.

Watuppas, Prescott, Miner's, tonight.

FOUND DIAMOND

IT WAS IMBEDDED IN GIRL'S SHOE

WORCESTER, April 12.—Miss Dorothy B. Durkee of 10 Perkins street, a student at the State Normal school, has found a diamond embedded in the leather sole of her shoe.

When or how the jewel got there Miss Durkee does not know, but she says she will have the jewel set in a ring, where its brilliancy may be seen to better advantage.

Miss Durkee made the discovery on retiring, when she picked up one of her shoes and noticed something sparkling in the leather.

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Electro Silicon, 9c.
Putz Pomade, 5c, 9c, 15c.
Liquid Veneer, furniture polish, 19c, 39c, 79c.
Marvel Metal Polish (for brass and copper), 23c.
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Carbolic Acid Crystals, pound bottle, 39c.
Brimstone or Powdered Sulphur, pound, 8c; 10 lbs. for 50c.
Formaldehyde, pint bottle, 25c.
Copperas, pound, 3c.
Chloride Lime, pound, sifter-top can, 10c.
Sulphur Candles, simple and safe, large, 15c; dozen, $1.70.
Platt's Chlorides, 50c size, 37c.
Hubbard's Germicide, complete, 79c.
Sulpho Napthol, 50c size, 29c; 75c size, 43c; $1.00 size, 53c.
Egyptian Deodizer, 25c size, 19c.

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Made of very tough manilla paper, strongly odorized with cedar. Clothes are hung up in these bags, thereby obviating the necessity of folding or creasing. In 3 sizes—24x37, 49c; 30x50, 59c; 30x60, 73c.

Bug Destroyers

All the advertised preparations, such as Peterman's, Columbian Insecticide, Barnard's Paste, Magic Fluid, Rough on Rats, Rat Biskit, Rat Corn, Martin's, etc., at lowest cut prices, as well as some guaranteed preparations, made in our own laboratories for the extermination of all household pests and vermin.

The Month for Spring Tonics

We break away from close confinement indoors, we begin to discard our heavy, stuffy clothes. The spirit of "out-of-doors" is upon us, but—there seems to be something not just right—a languid, lazy feeling—no appetite. No question about it, what you need is a good reliable tonic and we guarantee **Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic** to give satisfaction or money refunded. 2 sizes, 69c and $1.00.

April.

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FREE PAPER DRINKING CUPS

100,000 Finback Paper Drinking Cups will be given away free while they last to our customers. The supply will not last long in our 20 stores and to get one you must therefore ask the clerk for it.

Family Remedies

Spring Tonics, Laxatives, Headache, Dyspepsia, Cough and Rheumatic Remedies. About every advertised preparation. Some the most recent—others used 3 generations back. It is truly said that if you can't get it at Riker-Jaynes it is hardly worth while trying anywhere else. For over 65 years we have sustained the reputation of carrying the most complete stock, and if we sell it, it's sure to be at a cut price as a matter of course.

Allcock's Plasters, 20c size, 11c.
Antiphlogestine, 50c size, 39c.
Angier's Emulsion, 50c size, 39c.
Atwood's Bitters, 25c size, 17c.
Beecham's Pills, 25c size, 17c.
Bell's Papayans, 75c size, 57c.
Bliss' Native Herbs, $1.00 size, 69c.
Bromo-Seltzer, 50c size, 33c.
Cal. Syrup of Figs, 50c size, 34c.
Calocide Compound, 25c size, 16c.
Carter's Pills, 25c size, 14c.
Cascarets, 25c size, 19c.
Castoria, 35c size, 23c.
Cuticura, 50c size, 33c.
Clapp's Malt and Oil, 75c size, 49c.
Diamond Dyes, 10c size, 7c.
Diapepsin, 50c size, 31c.
Doan's Kidney Pills, 50c size, 39c.

Excelsior Hair Dye. With each $1 bottle at 93c during this sale we will give free two wooden handle bristle brushes for application.

Father John's Medicine, $1.00 size, 66c.
Fellows' Syrup, $1.00 size, 67c; $1.50 size, 99c.
Hill's Cascara Quinine, 25c size, 15c.
Hood's Sarsaparilla, $1.00 size, 79c.
Herpicide, $1.00 size, 65c.
Hilton's Specific, 50c size, 33c.
Bromo Quinine, 25c size, 16c.
Minard's Liniment, 25c size, 17c.
Mother Sills Seasick Rem., 50c size, 43c.
Nelson's Gelatine Lozz., 25c size, 17c.
Omega Oil, 50c size, 33c.
Orangeine, 50c size, 33c.
Gude's Peptomangan, $1.00 size, 77c.
Pernna, $1.00 size, 67c.
Philipps' Milk Magnesia, 50c size, 39c.
Russell's Emulsion, $1.00 size, 74c.
Scott's Emulsion, $1.00 size, 66c.
Sal Hepatica, 50c size, 39c.
Sanford's Ginger, 50c size, 28c.
Scheneck's Pills, 25c size, 17c.
Sloan's Lin., 25c size, 19c.
Swamproot, $1.00 size, 66c.
Tuttle's Elixir, 50c size, 36c.
Wampole's Cod Liver Oil, $1.00 size, 66c.
Williams' Pink Pills, 50c size, 35c.
Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, 50c size, 39c.

A Sale of Riker's Tooth Powder

AND SEPTONE SOAP FREE!

Until April 20 with each can of that perfect dentifrice, RIKER'S ANTISEPTIC TOOTH POWDER, you will receive FREE a miniature bottle of RIKER'S SEPTONE SHAMPOO SOAP. Price of the powder is 15c, and you will be delighted with the combination.

Steeping the Herbs

How many of us can recollect the days when grandmother or auntie would gather those magic herbs and steep for us those wonderful concoctions we had to drink at this season of the year for cleansing the blood and purging the system? True enough, modern materia medica has evolved preparations just as efficacious and far more palatable, but many still use these same herbs. Our variety of all drugs is most complete and our immense business absolutely insures you fresh, active herbs, drugs and chemicals, and all at the lowest possible prices.

Sarsaparilla, Mexican, lb., 45c.
Sarsaparilla, Honduras, lb., 60c.
Yellow Dock, lb., 25c.
Dandelion, lb., 33c.
Cascara, lb., 25c.
Red Clover, 1-2 lb., 19c.
Scullcap, lb., 40c.
Burdock, lb., 25c.
Elecampane, lb., 36c.
Gentian, lb., 20c.
Buchu, per ounce, 10c.
Senna Leaves, lb., 35c.
Senna Pods, lb., 40c.

and more than 200 other varieties of Roots, Herbs, Barks, Leaves and Flowers.

A FEW MORE EXAMPLES OF OUR LOW DRUG PRICES

Silicate Soda (liquid glass), quart can, 38c.
Glycerine, pound bottle, 29c.
Sugar Milk, pound, 25c.
Lime Water, quart bottle, 15c.
Blaud's Pills, per 100, 12c.
Denatured Alcohol, quart, 25c.
Sulphur and Cream Tartar, pound, 20c.

SPRING TABLETS

Sulphur and Cream of Tartar Tablets, large box, 15c.
Witch Hazel (Double distilled and made from young twigs. The cheapest Witch Hazel, quality considered), full quart, 38c.
Peroxide Hydrogen, lb., 19c.
Fluid Extract Cascara, 4-oz. bottle, 33c.

A Dangerous Practice

We refer to the habit of shaving your corn; at best it gives relief for a few days only. JAYNES' CORN REMOVER is warranted. Just follow directions very closely and you can pick the entire corn out without pain. Per bottle, 15c.

20 Stores in New England. Shop at the Nearest

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You are SAFE when you buy at Riker-Jaynes

SPECIAL

Fruit and Nut Nuget

Something new in candy. Must be tried to be appreciated. Four flavors.

29c lb., 15c ½ lb.

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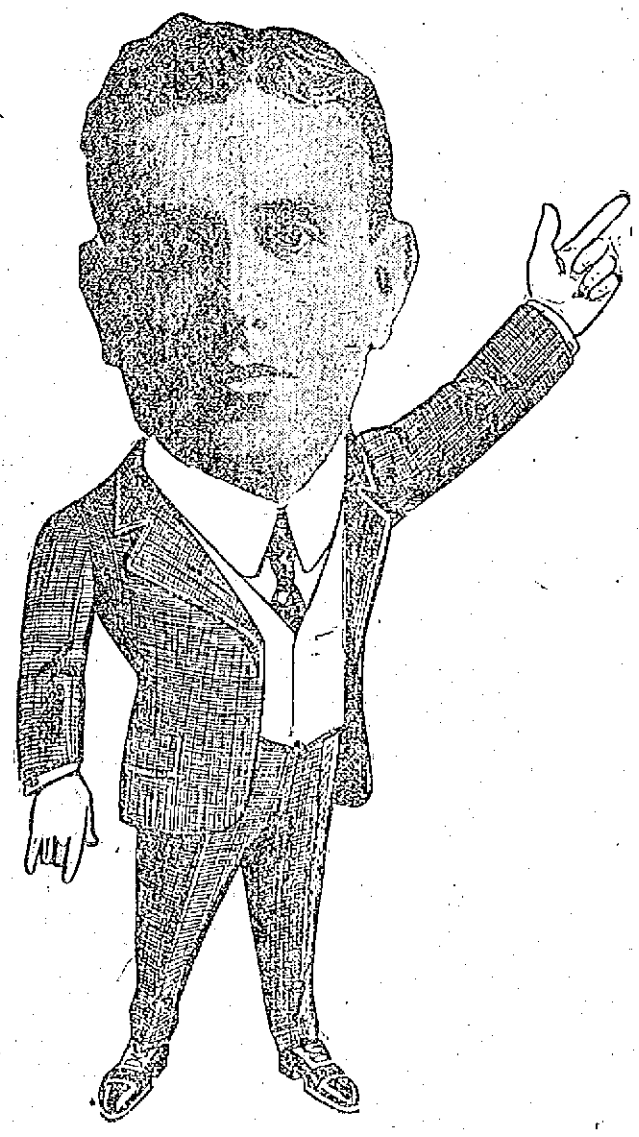


In the crude unscientific manner of a tailor, I have to make my advertising appeal to the people in the best way that my homely training permits. In a lifetime given over to cutting and to cloth, it is only natural that I should suffer a disadvantage when I go up against these high priced advertising experts employed by most merchants today.

When I see the wonderful success of this hurrah they work up, and then when I stop to see the materials at their disposal and the tremendous prices they have to get from the people for those materials, my admiration goes out to the professional advertiser. I know I can sell the same merchandise anywhere from $5 to $10 less than they get---but I suppose that's why their employers pay them big salaries. I have the goods, I have the low prices---the other fellows have the fancy advertising men and the marvel of the times is that it takes all my merchandise advantage to to keep up with them. I ought to be swamping them, values alone considered.

Friday and Saturday

I Offer the People An Opportunity to Obtain

Custom Clothing at

AFTER EASTER CUT PRICES

SHERRIFF WORSTEDS
STANDISH WORSTEDS
WANSKUK SERGES

After Easter Special

MADE TO ORDER

$12.00

If some of the stores in this city could deliver these values their professional advertising men would pack the building like an old-time caucus. High grade materials, rock bottom prices, ought to be more attractive than a dozen advertising writers.

I tell you I don't get all the business my prices are entitled to, and when I say that I know you are aware that I do a big business. That's all right, at my prices I ought to do it and I ought to do a great deal more.

MITCHELL The TAILOR

24 Central St., Lowell

OPEN EVENINGS TILL 9

CAT GAVE ALARM

Two Lives Saved at Fire in Boston

BOSTON, April 12.—The pitiful cries of a pet cat awakened John Borzarkian to discover that his fruit store and home at 722 Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge, was on fire, and undoubtedly the cat saved the lives of both Borzarkian and Sarah Cadian, who works in the store and rooms at the house.

The cat calls came early yesterday morning, and Borzarkian found that his store on the first floor was doomed and that the flames were shooting through the floor of the tenement.

By the time the fire department had arrived Sarah Cadian was overcome by smoke and fear. Ladderman McArthur of ladder 2 found her on the floor of her room after he had broken in the window, and with the assistance of Capt. McNamen carried her down the ladder. She was taken to the Cambridge Relief hospital, but is not considered in a dangerous condition.

The store and tenement were both badly damaged and the loss is probably over $1000. The property, which is situated near the Prospect Union building, is owned by Dr. A. P. Norris.

PARDONED CASHIER

WHO PLEADED GUILTY TO MAKING FALSE ENTRIES

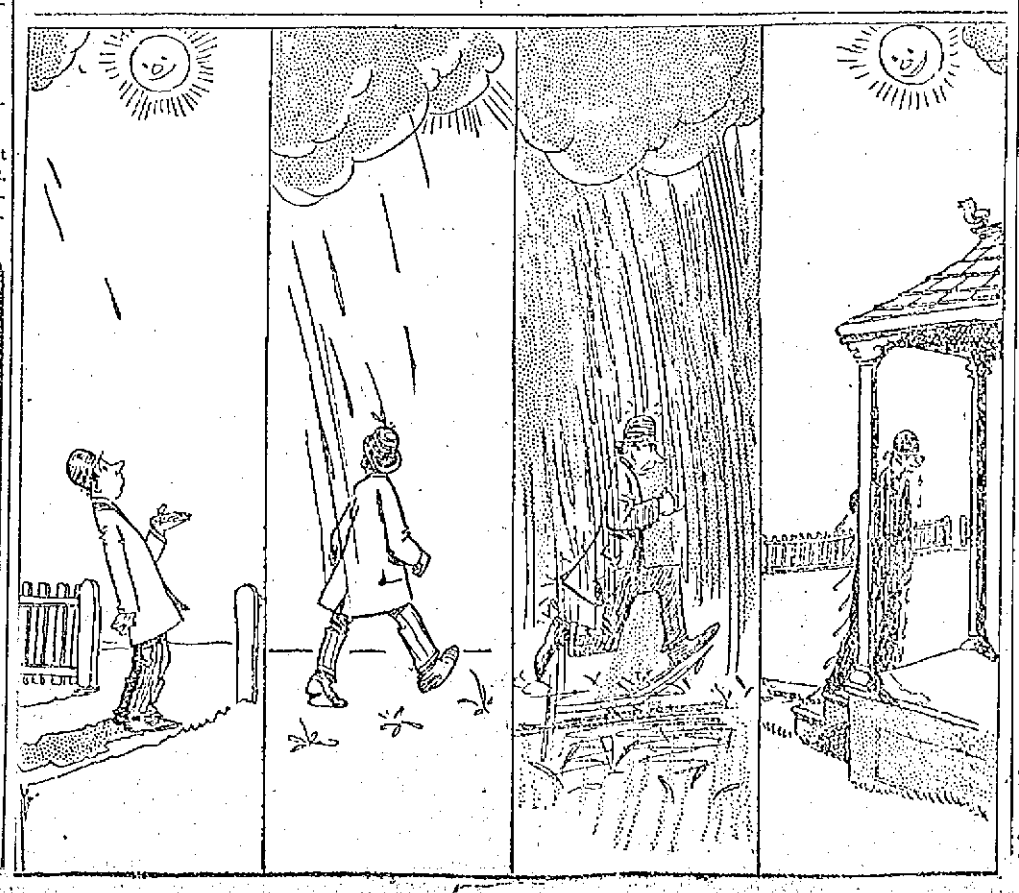
WASHINGTON, April 12.—President Taft yesterday pardoned John R. Wilks, convicted of making false entries in the books of the First National bank of Brantley, Ala. of which he was cashier.

Wilks' case presented a problem unprecedented in President Taft's administration. He had not served a day in prison for the offense to which he pleaded guilty five years ago, and Judge Thomas G. Jones, before whom he was tried at Montgomery, Ala., declined to pronounce sentence because of extenuating circumstances surrounding the case.

"The judge said he believed he would be killing a soul by penitentiary sentence. Wilks pleaded guilty May 17, 1907, and the judge released him on bail.

In indorsing his application for pardon, Judge Jones said Wilks had been an exemplary man before the offense and a useful citizen ever since.

FOUR MINUTES IN APRIL



MEXICAN REBELS

Have Occupied the City of Culiacan

TUCSON, Ariz., April 12.—The federal garrison of 400 at Culiacan, capital of the state of Sinaloa, was reported in a despatch received here last night as being ready to evacuate upon the demand of a vastly superior number of rebels under General Fianco.

The rebels agreed, the despatch stated, to enter the capital without bloodshed if given 25,000 pesos. The amount was quickly raised by the citizens and turned over to the rebel leader, who is reported as being very popular in Culiacan and vicinity.

When the actual occupation of the city by the rebels occurred was not stated.

N. E. INVESTMENT CO.

A meeting of the directors of the N. E. Investment Co., of which there are a large number of stockholders in this city, was held recently in Manchester, N. H., and the resignation of Mr. Eugene Quirin, a director, was accepted. Mr. Quirin has resigned for the reason that he is returning to France, and Mr. John T. Levasseur of Manchester, N. H., was elected to fill his place. Another director in the person of Mr. Telesphore Gaborieau of Salem, Mass., was chosen.

M. E. CONFERENCE

SPRINGFIELD, April 12.—Election of delegates to the general conference at Minneapolis and other business promised to make this the busiest day of the annual sessign of the New England Methodist Episcopal conference. While the conference was choosing the ministerial delegates, the lay electoral conference was selecting the lay delegates. The question of memorializing the general conference to provide a plan for the admission of laymen to membership in the annual conferences, such membership not to include participation in questions of a ministerial character or in the election of ministerial delegates to the general conference was considered by the lay conference.

Bishop William Burt of Zurich, Switzerland, the presiding bishop, delivered an address on "Our Work in Europe."

The evening events will be a Boston university supper, with President Murlin of the university as toastmaster, and the anniversary of the Sunday school board.

Special For Saturday

Just 500 Bunches of Beautiful

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TOO BEAUTIFUL FOR DESCRIPTION

Large Bunches, conveniently boxed 19c

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Take One Pain Pill, then— Take it Easy.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills

will help you, as they have helped others.

Good for all kinds of pain. Used to relieve Neuralgia, Headache, Nervousness, Rheumatism, Sciatica, Kidney Pains, Lumbago, Locomotor Ataxia, Backache, Stomachache, Carsickness, Irritability and for pain in any part of the body.

"I have always been subject to neuralgia and have suffered from it for years. While visiting my son and suffering from one of the old attacks, he brought me a box of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. I used them as directed and after taking them it was the first time in years the neuralgia ceased from the use of medicine." MRS. E. C. HOWARD, 403 Greene St., Dowagiac, Mich.

At all druggists. 25 doses 25c. a MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

RECALL OF JUDGES

Pres. Taft Says Many Advocates of it Are Demagogues

NEW YORK, April 12.—President Taft charged last night that many of those persons who advocate the recall of judges or the recall of judicial decisions are insincere demagogues, acting without sufficient knowledge of the need for preservation of the constitution or its guarantees.

Some of the men who preach the recall, he said, were sincere but all of them acted from a desire to propose changes rather than with any definite plan for the improvement of conditions.

The president was speaking to the Union League club of New York. He mentioned no names, but announced with emphasis that the "sensitive nerve" of the serious-minded people of the country had been touched by these proposals and that when they realized that "impious hands were likely to be laid upon the Ark of the Covenant," the judicial branch of the government, a profound protest was heard from "all thinking people."

Mr. Taft came to New York last night to keep two engagements. The first was with fellow members of the class of Yale, '78, at the University club; the other with the Union League club, which recently announced its indorsement of his candidacy.

Change for Sake of Change

In his Union League club speech President Taft said in part:

"The necessity that there was for arousing our people to prevent the abuses of corporate privilege and power and to wrest from concentrated wealth the exercise of political control and the success that had attended such agitation among the people has been taken advantage of by persons, some of them sincere, some of them demagogues and all of them with an insufficient knowledge of the necessity in the maintenance of liberty and progress, of our constitution and its guaranties, to propose changes, rather for the sake of change than with any definite plan of improving the body politic.

"Because courts have not manifested as quick perception of the advantages to be realized from these proposed changes, and in some instances have perhaps unduly broadened constitutional restrictions to declare them invalid, it is proposed to change the whole nature of our judicial system and render it subject to popular review, either by what is called the recall of the judges when their conduct on the bench is not approved by a majority of the voting electorate, or by a recall of decisions and a reversal of the judgment of the judges whenever they declare invalid a legislative enactment which they deem to be in violation of the fundamental law.

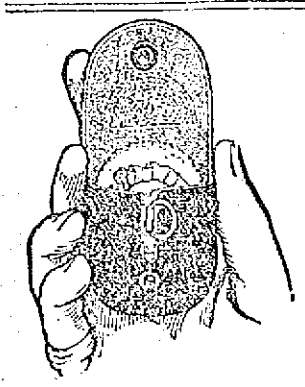
All Thinking People Protest

"It was not until the sensitive nerve of the serious-minded people of this country was touched by the proposition to recall the judges or to recall their decisions that such people of all classes began to realize that impious hands were likely to be laid upon the ark of the covenant, which is independence of the judicial branch of our government. A profound protest was heard from all thinking people against the proposal.

"I am here tonight to express my satisfaction that the members of this club have felt it to be their duty to express to the public at large their sense of the crisis through which our institutions are passing and the necessity for guarding as we would our liberty and everything that we hold dear in our homes and our life against the innovations that are so recklessly advocated by men who profess to be acting in the interest of reform and progress.

"They fail to recognize or appreciate the benefits of our present civilization and do not seem to understand that the progress already made in this great country of ours from its small beginnings has been due to the constitutional principles upon which this government was framed 125 years ago and has been maintained ever since.

"In this contest for the preservation of our ancient landmarks of government and for the security of life, liberty and property involved in the maintenance of an independent judiciary, we may from time to time suffer a temporary defeat, but those of us, and they are most of us, who have an abiding faith in the judgment and good sense of the American people may well have confidence that in the end the real benefit of the people will prevail and that they will defend and protect these institutions that have served them so long and so well."



A Present for You

WE have a present for every woman who uses Freeman's Face Powder. A lamb's wool powder puff in a suede leather case—a convenient little fitting for your handbag.

This puff, soft and fluffy, holds a week's supply of powder in its hollow center, which lightly sifts through the puff as you apply it. The case does not in any way suggest a vanity case, but looks like a coin purse. You may wish to use it for this purpose.

To secure one of these dainty and attractive Purse Puffs, buy a box of Freeman's Face Powder and send us the little gold seal from the inside wrapper with five 2-cent stamps towards packing and carrying charges.

Freeman's Face Powder

—soft, fine and fragrant—has a remarkably beautifying and beneficial effect on the complexion—keeping it smooth and youthful. Although it costs but 25 cents a box, we urge you to compare it with any powder manufactured.

Used by the majority of beautiful stage women, it has become known as the "Powder of the Stars."

Your dealer will have Freeman's Face Powder. If not, send to us direct. Address

FREEMAN PERFUME CO.
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Health And Success

are such intimate relations that no one can be expected to be well acquainted with success who does not keep good hold on health. Most serious sicknesses start in minor troubles of the digestive organs. Thousands know by actual experience that health and strength—and therefore success—

Are Increased By Use of

Beecham's Pills in time, and before minor troubles become deep-seated and lasting. This famous family remedy will clear your system, regulate your bowels, stimulate your liver, tone your stomach. Then your food will properly nourish you and enrich your blood. You will be healthy enough to resist disease—strong enough to take due advantage of opportunity after taking, as needed,

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Sold everywhere In boxes 10c., 25c.

BOARD OF DOCTORS

Condemned Somerville High School

BOSTON, April 12.—At the meeting of the Somerville board of aldermen last evening a communication was received from a committee of the Somerville Medical society condemning the sanitary conditions of the Somerville High school buildings.

"Not only as citizens interested in the general welfare, but especially as conservators of public health, we feel that in some way an immediate improvement in general hygienic conditions in the High school is imperative," the committee said in part. "Fresh air and adequately ventilated rooms are essential to health. These the pupils do not get.

"The frequent climbing of stairs made necessary by congested conditions may and does work serious injury to pupils, especially to girls. The compulsory afternoon session with its irregular and inconvenient lunch hours, and compelling the almost continuous artificial light, is decidedly unhygienic and should in some way be rendered needless. The damp and ill-lighted basement rooms, which are used for manual training, lunch rooms and other purposes, have nothing but unwise economy to recommend them."

BIG MEETING

OF FORMER PUPILS OF ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE

The meeting of the former pupils of St. Joseph's college which had been scheduled for next Sunday at 2 o'clock in the college hall, was postponed to Sunday, April 21, because a large number of local members of L'Union St. Jean Baptiste d'Amerique wish to attend the meeting of District council No. 5 of the said Union, which will be held in Amesbury, Sunday.

However the meeting which will be held on April 21, will be of the most importance and every member of l'Association des Acions Eleves du College St. Joseph, or those desiring to join, are expected to be present. The meeting will be held at 2 o'clock and a number of important questions relative to the first convention which will be held on August 15, will be brought before the meeting for discussion.

The board of directors of the association has formulated its plans for the first annual meeting and the said plans will be the topic of discussion. A very important question which will come before the meeting is that of an entry fee of $5, after the first annual meeting for anyone who will join, excepting the boys graduating from the school each year.

ANNUAL DINNER

FOR CHILDREN OF FRENCH AMERICAN ORPHANAGE

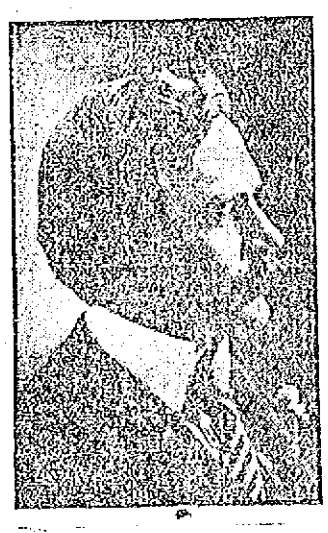
The children of the French American orphanage were given a fine treat a few days ago, when the members of St. Joseph's sewing circle of St. Joseph's parish gave them their annual dinner. The affair generally was held on New Year's day, but this year it was postponed until this week, and the children were well repaid for the delay.

The repast consisted of turkey and fixings, and many good things which would make more than one sick with envy. The meal was served in the spacious dining room of the orphanage, the members of the circle being in attendance.

Mrs. Charles H. Boisvert who is president of the circle was assisted by a score of women who supplied a fine day of enjoyment for the little ones of the institution.

The production of "Le Forgeron de Strasbourg" which was to be given next Wednesday and Thursday for the benefit of the French American orphanage by a group of young men from St. Joseph's parish under the direction of Rev. Henri Wateele, O. M. I., pastor, was postponed until May 15 and 16, on account of the present strike. The affair will be held in St. Joseph's college hall.

Read What Prof. G. B. Wilkins



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After 30 years of suffering with indigestion and constipation I am cured.

I have taken medicine for years, my condition being chronic, I have suffered a great deal. I was all run down and could not sleep. I went to Prof. Wilkins for help and found it as well as a cure.

N. H. SPENCER.
West Brattleboro, Vt.

For 4 years I have been a great sufferer from organic trouble. At last I had to suffer an operation which nearly resulted in insanity. No one knows what my condition was when I went to Prof. Wilkins for treatment. He told me my condition in less than five minutes and gave me more relief in one half hour than the doctors with their knives and medicines have done in four years. I can't say enough for what Prof. Wilkins has done for me but it will be a pleasure to tell any sufferer what I cannot put in print. I am happy to say I am a well man today and I owe it all to Prof. Wilkins and his wonderful healing power.

Respectfully yours,
F. S. ROBINSON,
Centerville, Brattleboro, Vt.

Seven years ago I first discovered I had cataracts on both eyes and my condition was growing worse until my sight was so impaired I could not read or do any work that required eyes to see what I was doing. I went to Prof. Wilkins in February '05 for treatment. He told me he could remove the cataracts without any operation of medicine.

It was hard to believe but I took him at his word and he has done just as he agreed. Today my eyes are free from cataracts, my sight is as good as I could reasonably expect for a man of my years and I feel I am improving daily. Prof. Wilkins has proved himself a man in every respect and I must say he has done wonders for me. If you want to know more come and see me for yourself.

Respectfully submitted,
A. N. JOHNSON,
West Brattleboro, Vt.

Prof. Wilkins has treated me, as well as my wife. I could not sit down in a chair or on my milking stool before being treated and I had not put on my stockings or shoes alone in years. I am glad to tell the public today that I can do all these things without help and I have not had such health and strength in years. I am 82 years old and Prof. Wilkins has made me feel like a young man.

SQUIRE AMIDON,
West Chesterfield, N. H.

I suffered with a muscular condition which affected my left arm so it was almost helpless. I had to hire my grain handled from the cars as I could not dress myself alone and besides I was suffering a great deal of pain. I went to Prof. Wilkins for treatment and received help at once and now I can use my arms as well as ever. My general health is much improved also.

W. N. WILBUR,
Dealer in grain, Putney, Vt.

THE GILBRIDE CO.

A Sale of Women's and Misses' Suits

At $15.00 and $19.50

SMARTLY TAILORED AND Fashionable Models

of the finest suits were placed on sale this morning at these low prices. This sale is made possible by a purchase of a most extraordinary kind. Original costs of material and manufacture have been entirely disregarded by several prominent New York manufacturers, who are eager to clear out their entire surplus stocks.

Every suit in this assortment represents the highest quality of workmanship and the best of the newest materials, all perfectly made, beautifully finished and gracefully cut garments. $20.00 and $25.00 Suits

At $15.00 and $19.50

MILLINERY

TRIMMED HATS—Of exclusive and original styles, foreign importations, our clever adaptations, as well as our own original creations form a magnificent display. Hats selling at **$3.98, $4.98** and **$5.98**

UNTRIMMED HATS—We show the leading shapes and colors, best qualities at the lowest prices ..... **69c, 98c, $1.69, $1.98** and **$2.98**

KNOX SAILORS—Blue and black **98c**

DERBY SAILORS—All colors and black ..... **98c** and **$1.69**

QUAKER GIRL SAILORS—In colors **$2.39**

UNUSUAL SAVINGS ON

Women's Kid and Fabric Gloves

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Fowne's Real Kid Gloves, Paris point stitching, in all the new and popular spring shades at ..... $1.50 pair

Fowne's 2-Clasp Lanark, fine quality kid in shades of tan, brown, gray, mode, champagne, green, red, also black and white, at ..... $1.00 pair

Fowne's Real Kid, white, 12-16 button ..... $2.50, $3.00 pair

12 Button White Lambskin, at ..... $2.00 pair

2-Clasp Overseam Kid Gloves, all shades ..... 69c pair

Medium Weight Cape Gloves, 1-Clasp, smart for street wear, at ..... 79c pair

"Kayser's" Real Chamoisette Gloves in white and natural, at 50c pair

"Kayser's" Venetian Lisle Gloves, black, white and colors, at 25c and 50c pair

"Kayser's" Patent Finger Tipped Pure Silk Gloves, in all desirable shades and lengths 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25

Pure Silk Gloves, double tipped fingers, 16 button, all colors. Very special at ..... 75c pair

Men's, Women's and Children's Hosiery

OF GUARANTEED QUALITY

Women's Silk Lisle Hose, double tops, Onyx black, spliced heels, 50c pair

Women's Pure Silk Hose, double garter tops, cotton soles, all colors ..... 50c pair

Women's Onyx Black Cotton Hose, Maco split soles, guaranteed stainless ..... 25c pair

Women's Gauze Mercerized Hose (Lady Broadway) elastic top, fast black and seamless ..... 25c pair

Women's Silk Lisle Hose, garter tops, double soles ..... 25c pair

Economy Hosiery for children, 4-thread heels and toes, 12 1-2c pair

Misses' Silk Lisle (Round Ticket Stocking.) Hard to wear out, 25c pair

Misses' White Silk Lisle and Mercerized Cotton Hose, 12 1-2c and 25c pair

Men's Silk Lisle Half Hose, all colors ..... 19c and 25c pair

Men's Fine Cotton Hose, double soles ..... 12c and 15c pair

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SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Division 28, A. O. H., was held last night in Hibernian hall. President Patrick J. McCann in the chair. Several propositions were received and referred to the investigating committee. Ten new members were initiated.

Brother Edward F. Slattery, treasurer, submitted the quarterly report which showed the division to be in good financial condition. Several important communications were received and acted upon. President Patrick J. McCann spoke at length on the good work accomplished by the members during the past year and was glad to know that the members realized that all that was necessary to increase the membership was the individual work of the members. After the meeting adjourned a social entertainment was enjoyed with remarks by Ed. F. Slattery and M. D. Sullivan; songs by Daniel F. Rourke, James E. Sullivan, H. Tally and Thomas McCarty.

Royal Arcanum

The members of Highland council, Royal Arcanum, met in regular session last night. Routine business was transacted after which the council entertained the ladies at whist. The prize winners were as follows:

Ladies' first, vase, Mrs. Hugh Walker; second, umbrella, Mrs. J. McAdams; third, clock, Mrs. H. Rouse; gentlemen's first, W. J. Carey; second, Dr. J. T. Ayers, third, Mr. Brown.

At the next meeting, the council will again extend open house to the ladies, and a glee club concert will be given for their benefit.

Ladies of G. A. R.

Ladd and Whitney circle, 8, Ladies of G. A. R., met in regular session Wednesday evening. Josie Blaisdell, president, in the chair. One application was received and referred to a committee for investigation, and one new member was initiated. Ella F. Gardner, treasurer, read a very interesting paper about the 46th annual encampment, G. A. R., which was held in Boston, April 2 and 3.

Preceding the meeting was the regular supper and social hour, a larger attendance of members than usual being present, with several guests. The next meeting will be held April 24.

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At Henry Harvey of West Warren, N. H., Last Night

WARREN, N. H., April 12.—Three shots were fired at Henry Harvey, a local merchant, by two men who had demanded money of him at a lonely spot two miles south of this village late last night. One bullet whizzed close by his head, another grazed his shoulder and the third struck the carriage in which he was driving home from a dance. Harvey whipped up his horse and got away safely. He was unable to get a good view of the men but it is believed that they were tramps. The scene of the attempted holdup is near the railroad track and the men are supposed to have jumped a freight train later, as two men were seen stealing a freight ride a few miles north of here early today.

LOSS IS $175,000

100 Families Made Homeless by Fire at East Hartford

EAST HARTFORD, Conn., April 12.—Over a hundred families were rendered homeless and damage estimated at about $175,000 wrought by a fire which started shortly after midnight here and burned out about 15 buildings before it was brought under control three hours later. The fire started in the saw mill and lumber yard of Henry Cairns and spread from there to three big tenement blocks and several dwellings. The flames threatened at one time to sweep through a greater part of the center and it required the united efforts of the East Hartford and the Hartford fire departments to subdue it. The breaking down of the electric light wires and the flying of sparks and fire brands over a radius of nearly a quarter of a mile added to the spectacular side of the blaze. Occupants of the houses in the path of the fire made desperate attempts to get their household effects out before the fire reached them and in some cases were successful. The greater part of the families made homeless camped out for the night in fields some distance from the fire scene, while others were taken in by neighbors. Today the homeless ones were cared for.

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MERRIMACK SQUARE

FUNERAL NOTICES

LEWIS—The funeral of the late Mrs. Elwilda C. Lewis will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Pentecost church on First street. Friends invited. Undertaker John A. Weinbeck in charge.

WHALEN—The funeral of the late Mrs. Clara Whalen will take place from the home of her husband, Jas., 89 Concord street, Sunday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy & Sons of Market street.

CAMPBELL—Died, at the home of her parents, 58 Blossom street, Eleanor L., daughter of Frederick and Daisy Campbell, aged 1 month and 11 days. Besides her father and mother she leaves one brother, Raleigh. The funeral will be held Saturday at three o'clock. Friends invited. Burial private. Undertaker George M. Eastman in charge.

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AT HARMONY HALL

DELIGHTFUL PROGRAM GIVEN BY MISS GLEASON'S PUPILS

The pupils of Miss Christabel Gleason gave a delightful musical entertainment at Harmony hall, Collinsville, last evening. There was a large attendance and the program was well enjoyed. Miss Gleason was assisted by Ray Chappell, baritone soloist and John Lee, violinist. The work of the pupils was excellent and their grand success reflects great credit on the talented teacher. Miss Gleason also entertained in her usual clever manner and the solos by Mr. Chapell were well given. Mr. Lee on the violin assisted greatly in the success of the entertainment. The other numbers were very good and though it was the wish of the teacher that no encores be responded to, many were obliged to do so. The program was as follows:

"Child's Waltz," .....Mack
Edward Cullinan
"The Harebell," .....Smallwood
Angela Mullin
Reading—Selected,
Ruth Whelton
"Lily of the Valley," .....Smith
Esther Geoffrey
"Children at Play," .....Streallog
Mildred Gorman
Song and Dance,
Cecila Crowe
"Rosebud," ..... Greenwald
Beatrice Malone
"The Last Rose of Summer,"....Gooch
Francis Cullinan
Reading—Selected,
Bridget Sullivan
"Heather Rose" .....Lange
Marie Dundon
"Lily Bells" .....Smallwood
Mary Brennan
Song—Selected,
Ray Chappell
"Goldfish,"
Mildred Mack
"Blinking Moon," .....Weins
Mary Cullinan
Violin Solo,
John Lee
Accompanist, John Broderick
"The Shepherd's Evening Song,"
Heller
Bessie Monarzynski
"Maiden's Prayer," .....Badargwska
Paul Upton
"Under the Stars and Stripes,"
Roosevelt
Edward Lavell
"Vesuvius," ..... Lincoln
Anthony Cullinan
Reading,
Stella Mooney
Duet—"Fra Diavalo," .....Blake
Abbie Kelley and Alice Gleason
"Warblings of the Birds," ....Kimball
Rose Cullinan
"Throwing Kisses,"
Rose Bennett
Song—Selected,
Ray Chappell
"Melody of Love," .....Hoffman
Susie Gorman
"Orange Blossoms," .....Ludovic
Cecila Fogarty
Violin Solo,
John Lee
Accompanist, John Broderick
"Edelweiss Glide," .....Vanderbeck
Isabelle Desmarais
"Moonlight on the Hudson," ...Wilson
Rose Costello
Song—Selected,
Ray Chappell
Reading—Selected,
Alice Gleason
"Festmarch," ..... Wessler
Christabel Gleason

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DEATHS

WHALEN—Mrs. Clara Whalen, aged 22 years, died yesterday afternoon at the Lowell hospital. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker Molloy and later to the home, 89 Concord street. She is survived by her husband, James of Lowell; her father, Charles Turner; five sisters, the Misses Alice, Anne, Ethel, Emily and Agnes Turner, and one brother, Edward, all of England.

LEWIS—Mrs. Elwilda C. Lewis died yesterday at the Lowel hospital, aged 69 years. She resided at 20 Cambridge street, and was the widow of Winslow Wilson. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker Weinbeck.

DEMOPOULOS—Phanaflos Demopoulos, aged 18 years, son of John and Kaleope Demopoulos, died yesterday at the state hospital, Tewksbury. Besides his parents he leaves two brothers. The body was taken to the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

VINCELETTE—Joseph Vincelette, aged 70 years and 5 months, died last night at his late home, 25 Main street. He leaves to mourn his loss, two sons and two daughters, Hormisdas of Lynn and Joseph of this city; Mrs. Joseph Levesque and Miss Marie Louise Vincelette of this city.

HARVARD TEAMS

STARTED ON THEIR SPRING TRIP TODAY

CAMBRIDGE, April 12.—Today was getaway day for the Harvard college baseball, lacrosse and soccer teams, which start for their spring trip to meet colleges in other states. The baseball squad will remain away ten days, opening their southern trip with a game at Baltimore Saturday against Johns Hopkins university. The Catholic university, Georgetown, Baltimore, of the International league and Annapolis are other teams to be played before April 19 when Harvard will play Columbia at New York on the return trip.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY

Minister Shot His Wife and Himself

LONDON, April 12.—A double tragedy was brought about today by another mental brainstorm affecting the Rev. Samuel Henry, the self-styled "messiah" who on Feb. 26 caused a sensation in the house of commons by firing several shots from a revolver at the ceiling of the lobby.

Henry was discovered this morning dying in his home with two revolver bullets in his head, and by his side lay his wife's dead body with the throat cut.

FOR FRECKLED, ROUGH OR SPOTTY COMPLEXIONS

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TRAINMEN INJURED

Head-on-Collision on the Grand Trunk Road

PORTLAND, Me., April 12.—One trainman was fatally injured, another badly hurt, and two or three others severely bruised in a head-on collision on the Grand Trunk road today between North Stratford and Wentock, N. H.

The collision took place three miles north of North Stratford, when a freight train was running ahead of time. This met a passenger train running south.

The mail car was demolished and the mail was thrown all over the track. The two mail clerks had a narrow escape from being killed. But one of them was severely injured. The brakeman, who is not expected to live, was believed to have been one of the crew of the passenger train.

Reports regarding the seriousness of the wreck were conflicting. A railroad official stated that Engineer Wheeler was not killed and that no one was dead or worse than seriously injured. But from a reliable source it was learned that Engineer Wheeler, though not killed outright had died afterward at Island pond, where all the injured were taken; from the same source it was learned that a brakeman was dying and that one of the mail clerks was critically injured.

A. C. Richardson, of Portland, was Engineer Wheeler's fireman. The crew of the other engine was composed of Engineer Thomas Seymour of Island Pond and Fireman Isaac Colby. The railway mail clerks were A. J. Parent of Island Pond and J. T. Culhane of Gorham, N. H. All five were injured at least slightly.

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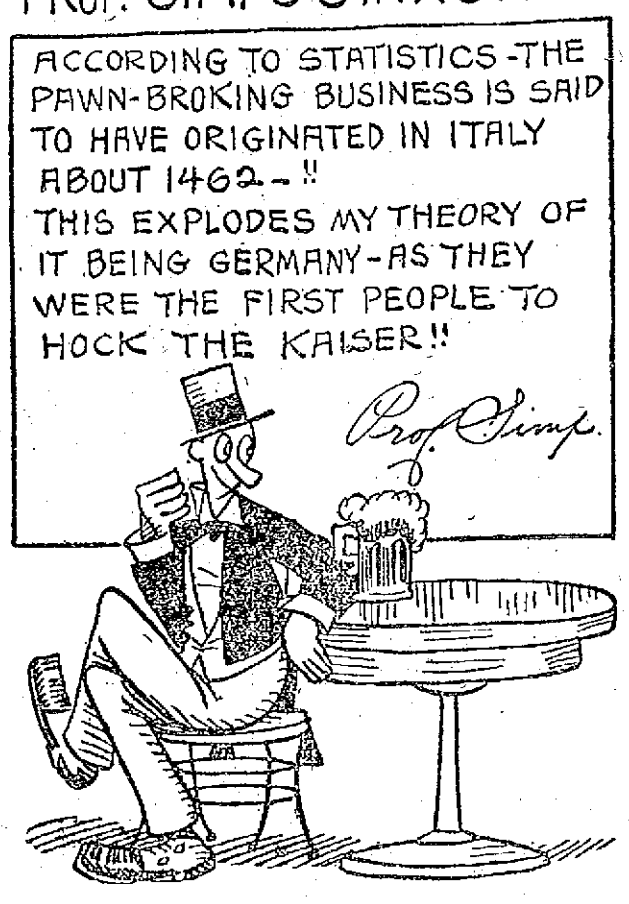
BOSTON, April 12.—Warren B. Wheeler and Stillman Shaw, of Wheeler & Shaw, Inc., and their counsel, Roney Spring, of the firm of Mathews, Thompson & Spring, are charged with contempt in petitions filed in the United States district court yesterday by Asst. United States Dist. Atty. Garland on behalf of the foreman of the grand jury which is investigating the corporation.

The lawyer is charged with refusing to tell the grand jury whether he had the books, records and papers of the corporation, and the other defendants with refusing to produce them.

The defendants claim they are within their legal rights. Judge Dodge will hear the petitions today.

The documents are wanted in connection with the corporation's dealings with the North American Rubber company.

PROF. SIMP'S STATISTICS.



FUNERALS

KOHLRAUSCH—Impressive funeral services were held yesterday afternoon over the body of Charles H. Kohlrausch, one of Billerica's leading citizens, whose death occurred on Tuesday.

The services, which were held in the beautiful and spacious home of the deceased on Elm street, in the North village, in which section of the town Mr. Kohlrausch had spent the greater part of his useful and honorable life, were attended by people of all classes, who came to pay a last small tribute and show a final respect to one whom they loved and admired.

Rev. Harry Lutz, former pastor of the Unitarian church of Billerica, and Rev. Charles H. Williams, Ph. D., pastor of the North Billerica Baptist church, were the officiating clergymen, and each pronounced a touching eulogy on the life of Mr. Kohlrausch. A large delegation from Thomas Talbot lodge, A. F. and A. M., attended, and the solemn Masonic funeral service was impressively conducted by Master Eugene C. Vining and Chaplain J. Harold Dale. There was singing by the Webber male quartet of Boston, the following selections being rendered: "Abide With Me," "Nearer, My God, To Thee," Pleyel's Hymn and "One By One," the last named being sung as the friends were passing from the residence at the conclusion of the exercises. Despite the fact that the family had requested that flowers be omitted, there was a profusion of floral offerings, among which were the following pieces: Large pillow inscribed "Charlie," Mrs. C. H. Kohlrausch; wreath of carnations, lilies and white roses, John H. Kohlrausch and family; green wreath with lavender sweet peas, Matthew H. Kohlrausch and family; ivy wreath and American Beauty roses, Pilgrim commandery; wreath of white roses, Unitarian society; Masonic floral emblem, Thomas Talbot lodge, A. F. and A. M.; large floral pillow, Pr. Mathew T. A. society; wreath of green galax, violets and lilies, Mr. William Goulding and the Misses Goulding; flower wreath, Mrs. Martin Conway; spray pink roses, Mr. and Mrs. Frederic S. Clark; spray pinks and daisies, Mrs. Alfred E. Nichols and Mrs. E. P. Flanders; cluster pink tulips, Mrs. John A. Richardson; spray pinks, Mr. and Mrs. William Sprowl; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Slocum; spray roses, Mr. and Mrs. William Penn; spray pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Sheldon; spray white roses and violets, Bridge club; spray white roses and violets, Mr. and Mrs. George Preston; spray pink tulips, Mrs. J. S. Holt; spray pinks, A. D. Hoyle and family; spray pinks, George Kohlrausch and family, of Chelsea; spray lilies of the valley and snapdragon, Mrs. James Faulkner Preston; spray red roses, Mt. Horeb Royal Arch chapter; bouquet sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Talbot; spray of pinks, Mrs. Benjamin E. Porter and Miss Bertha Porter.

Burial took place today in the family lot in North Sutton, N. H. The following members of the local lodge of Masons acted as bearers and escorted the body to the train: Messrs. John E. Rowell, Warren A. Evans, Fred H. Parker, Herbert W. Sheldon, Arthur W. Holden and Coburn S. Smith. The funeral arrangements were under the direction of Undertaker William H. Saunders of Lowell.

WILSON—The funeral of John A. Wilson took place yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck. The ceremony of the Improved Order of Red Men was used. Among the floral tributes were: Wreath, employees of F. P. Cheney's box shop; pillow from the Red Men. The delegation from Passaconaway tribe included, James H. Hickey, first sannap; Edmond Whitney, sachem; George Ryan, senior sagamore; Edmond Crompton, prophet. They conducted the ceremony, assisted by Geo. Hale, George A. Frost, Martin C. Rowell, Arthur W. Garland, Fred Santum, William Hall, Archie Leckie, Daniel Starkey, Thomas Houle and R. W. Kent. Burial will take place in East Charleston, Vt.

HARWOOD—The funeral of Edgar F. Harwood took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home, 24 Fernald street. Rev. George F. Kenngott officiated and Mrs. F. L. Roberts sang in an appropriate manner. The bearers were Messrs. Charles H. Dodge, Walter Chase, Harry L. Wheeler and Samuel Arnold. There were delegations present from Chevalier-Middlesex lodge, Knights of Pythias, and the Odd Fellows. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, in charge of Undertaker C. M. Young.

BRISSON—The funeral of Mrs. Gertrude Brisson (nee) Carroll was held from the late home, 14 Maple avenue, Andover, Mass. The services were held in St. Augustine's church, where solemn high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Reagion. Interment was in St. Augustine's cemetery. There were many beautiful floral tributes including a large pillow from the husband; large pillow from Uncle Stephen, Thomas and Mary Carroll of Lowell; sprays from Mr. Edward Carroll and family, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manley, Mrs. Elizabeth Elliot and son; wreaths of roses, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Veaudrey and Mr. and Mrs. Brisson of Lowell; cross on base, Maurice J. Curran, Jr.; basket of cut flowers, Mrs. Albert W. Caldwell and Mr. McGlinn and family, and many others.

THOMBER—The funeral of the late Mrs. Annie Jane Thomber took place this morning at 8.30 from her home, 49 Concord street. A high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Edward J. Fox, O. M. I., at 9 o'clock at the Immaculate Conception church. The choir rendered the Gregorian chant, Mrs. Hugh Walker presiding at the organ. "Pie Jesu" was sung at the offertory by Mr. Edward Shea and after the elevation Miss Margaret Knowles sang "O Meritum Passionis." At the close of the service the solos of the Libera were rendered by Mrs. Hugh Walker, and as the body was being borne from the church Mr. Chas. Smith sang "De Profundis." There were many beautiful floral offerings placed upon the grave in the Immaculate Conception cemetery in Lawrence, Mass. The bearers were John Kehoe, Daniel Carroll, John Donnelly, William Burke, James Burke, Thomas Burke. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy & Sons.

FOY—The funeral of the late Thomas Foy took place this morning from the home of his parents, No. 41 Concord street, at 9.30 and preceded to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 10 o'clock Rev. Owen McQuaid, O. M. I., celebrated a requiem high mass for the repose of his soul. The choir rendered the Gregorian chant, Mrs. Hugh Walker presiding at the organ. At the offertory Miss Isabel McKiernan sang "O Meritum Passionis," Miss Margaret Knowles sang "Pie Jesu" after the elevation and at the close of the service Mrs. Hugh Walker rendered the solos of the Libera. As the body was being borne from the church Edward Shea sang "De Profundis." There were many beautiful floral offerings including the following large pieces: A large pillow inscribed "Our Tom," from the family; a cycle with a half circle on base, with a ribbon inscribed "Gone but not Forgotten," from the chums of deceased; spray of pinks from Mrs. Mulligan and family, with ribbon inscribed "Good-bye, Tom"; spray, from Mr. and Mrs. James Guerden; spray from the Misses Mabel Wilson, Mae Wren, and Ada Colburn; spray, from the Misses Elizabeth Ward and Elizabeth Roddy; spray from Mr. and Mrs. Gillis and family; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Nyland; spray, Mrs. Walsh, Mary Walsh and Della Shannon; spray from the employes of the engine room of the Plush mill.

The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. McQuaid read the final prayers. The following gentlemen acted as bearers: Thomas Murray, Edward Foy, Charles Galagher, Edward Murphy, Edward Gillis, and Robert Mullin. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy & Sons.

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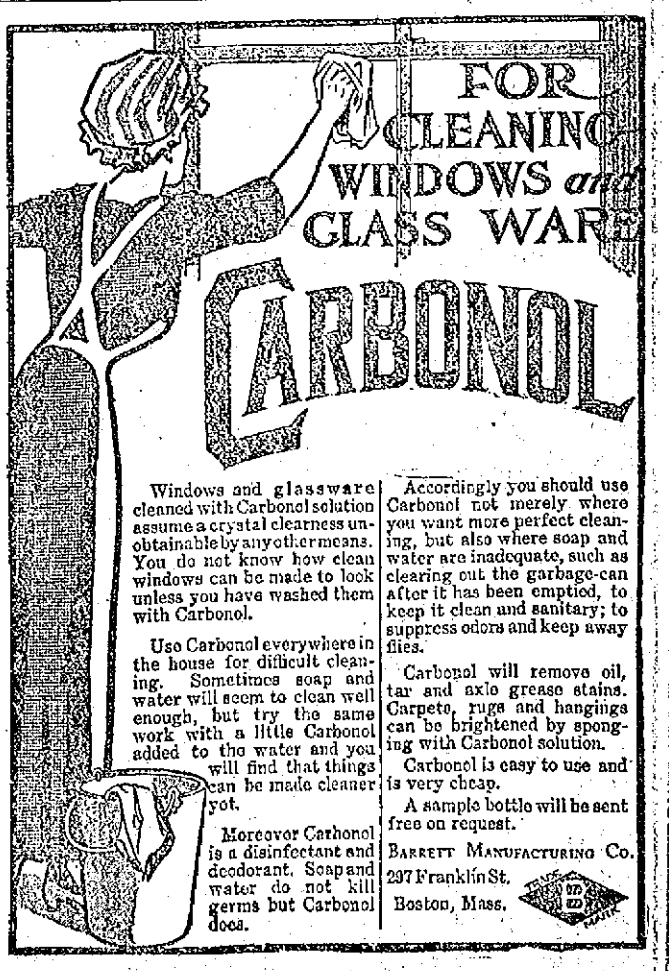

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BOSTON TEAMS WON

They Opened the Season Yesterday With Victories

The baseball season of the major leagues was formally opened yesterday with large crowds at all games. The weather was very propitious for the games and despite the fact that some of the teams did not get much chance to train in the south, owing to the disagreeable weather conditions, all played smoothly and only a few misplays were made.

The feature of the opening from a Lowell standpoint was that both the Boston teams won their first games. The Boston Nationals with a new owner, new president, new manager, new park and several new players won from Charlie Dooin's Phillies with the great Alexander in the box. The game was very exciting and the all round work of Kling's hopes was of a very high order. Spratt, who played at short, owing to the injury to Bridwell was the star batter of the game. He got a home run, a three-bagger and a single. Perdue, who pitched for Boston was in fine form and allowed nine hits. The other members of the team showed up well and the 10,264 fans who were present are satisfied that the team is a great improvement over the ones that have representd Boston in the National league for several years. The score:

BOSTON.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Sweeney, 2b	5	1	1	3	2	1
Campbell, cf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Miller, rf	5	2	2	2	0	0
Jackson, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Houser, 1b	4	2	3	3	1	0
Spratt, ss	4	1	3	1	0	0
McDonald, 3b	3	0	1	6	1	0
Kling, c	4	0	1	7	0	0
Perdue, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	7	13	27	5	1

PHILADELPHIA.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Knabe, 2b	4	1	2	1	5	0
Titus, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Paskert, cf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Cravath, lf	4	1	3	2	0	0
Luderus, 1b	5	0	1	14	0	0
Walsh, 3b	4	0	0	0	3	1
Doolan, ss	4	1	2	0	3	0
Dooin, c	4	0	0	6	1	0
Alexander, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Graham, x	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	4	9	24	13	1

x—Batted for Alexander in the 9th.

Boston .... 0 0 0 3 1 1 2 0 *—7
Philadelphia ..... 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 2—4

Two base hits: Doolan, Miller 2, Houser, Cravath 3, Luderus. Three base hit: Spratt. Home run: Spratt. Sacrifice hits: Titus, Campbell. Stolen bases: McDonald, Miller. Left on bases: Boston 8, Philadelphia 10. First base on balls: Off Perdue 4; off Alexander 2. First base on errors: Boston 1, Philadelphia 1. Struck out: By Perdue 3; by Alexander 5. Time: 1.36. Umpires: Rigler and Finneran.

The results in the other National league games were as follows:

	r.	h.	e.
New York	18	20	2
Brooklyn	3	7	3
(6 innings, darkness)			
Cincinnati	10	14	1
Chicago	6	10	1
St. Louis	7	13	1
Pittsburgh	0	4	1

BOSTON AMERICANS WON

The Boston Americans also played a fine game at the New York Highlanders' grounds and came back strong in the last inning when they piled up 4 runs and won out in one of the best opening games on the circuit. The game was a pitchers' battle between Joe Wood and Caldwell up to the last inning when the latter weakened. Wood pitched the entire game and was in rare form. The hitting was rather light, each team getting seven hits. The attendance at this game was the smallest of all the opening games, the weather being very cold. 7000, however, braved the breezes and enjoyed the contest.

New York took the lead in the first inning. Wood started wild and passed two men, which with Daniels' hit, Chase's sacrifice and Cree's out resulted in two runs. Boston scored once on Hooper's hit, an error and Stahl's sacrifice fly. The visitors won the game in the ninth by bunching four hits on Caldwell, who was relieved by Vaughn after the damage had been done.

Cree's field was the feature of the New York's playing and Hooper's work in right and Wood's pitching and all-round playing at the bat and in the field marked the visitors' playing. The score:

BOSTON

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Hooper, rf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Yerkes, 2b	5	0	0	3	2	0
Speaker, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Stahl, 1b	2	1	0	11	4	0
L. Gardner, 3b	2	0	0	1	3	0
Lewis, lf	4	1	1	0	1	1
Wagner, ss	4	1	2	1	2	0
Nunamaker, c	3	1	1	3	1	0
Wood, p	4	0	2	4	3	0
Totals	31	5	7	27	16	1

NEW YORK

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Wolter, rf	3	1	2	1	0	0
Daniels, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Chase, 1b	3	0	0	7	2	0
Cree, lf	3	0	0	5	0	0
Hartzell, ss	3	1	1	4	5	0
Dolan, 3b	4	0	1	0	2	0
E. Gardner, 2b	4	0	1	4	1	0
Street, c	4	0	0	5	2	2
Caldwell, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Vaughn, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simonds, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	3	7	27	13	2

x—Batted for Vaughn in the 9th.

Boston .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4—5
New York ...... 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—3

Hits: Off Caldwell 7 in 8 1-3 innings; off Vaughn none in 2-3 innings. Sacrifice fly: Stahl. Sacrifice hits: Chase, Daniels, L. Gardner. Stolen bases: Hooper, Hartzell, E. Gardner, Wolter. Double play: Street and E. Gardner. Left on bases: Boston 6, New York 6. First base on balls: Off Caldwell 4; off Wood 3. First base on errors: Boston 1; New York 1. Struck out: By Caldwell 5; by Vaughn 1; by Wood 2. Passed ball: Street. Time: 2.02. Umpires: Messrs. Connolly and Hart.

The results at the other American league games were as follows:

	r	h	e
Chicago	6	9	1
St. Louis	2	7	2
Cleveland	3	7	2
Detroit	3	5	3
(11 innings)			
Philadelphia	4	7	3
Washington	2	4	3

GAMES TODAY

(Americans)

Boston at New York.
Washington at Philadelphia.
Detroit at Cleveland.
St. Louis at Chicago.

(Nationals)

Philadelphia at Boston.
New York at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Lincolns will open their season Saturday, April 13th, at Lincoln park, when they will cross bats with the Waltham A. A., a team composed of former Waltham High school stars. The Waltham boys made quite a record last year, and are out to repeat, so the game should be hotly contested from the start. The Lincoln line-up will include the following men: Reynolds, Goggin, Bowman, Dukeshire, Durkin, Allen, Regnier, Chadwick and McDowell. Game called at 3 o'clock.

The Bellevue A. C. would like to play any 16-17 year old teams in the city. Games wanted for the 20th of April, May 11, 18 and 25. Address Wm. Mitchell, 143 Chelmsford street.

The Bellevue baseball team play the Rockland A. C. on Saturday afternoon, April 13. The lineup for the Bellevues will be as follows: Mitchell c, Lawson p, Berard 1b, Jim Ward 2b, John Ward ss, R. McDonald 3b, F. Brule lf, A. Levasseur cf, Caron and Lawrence rf.

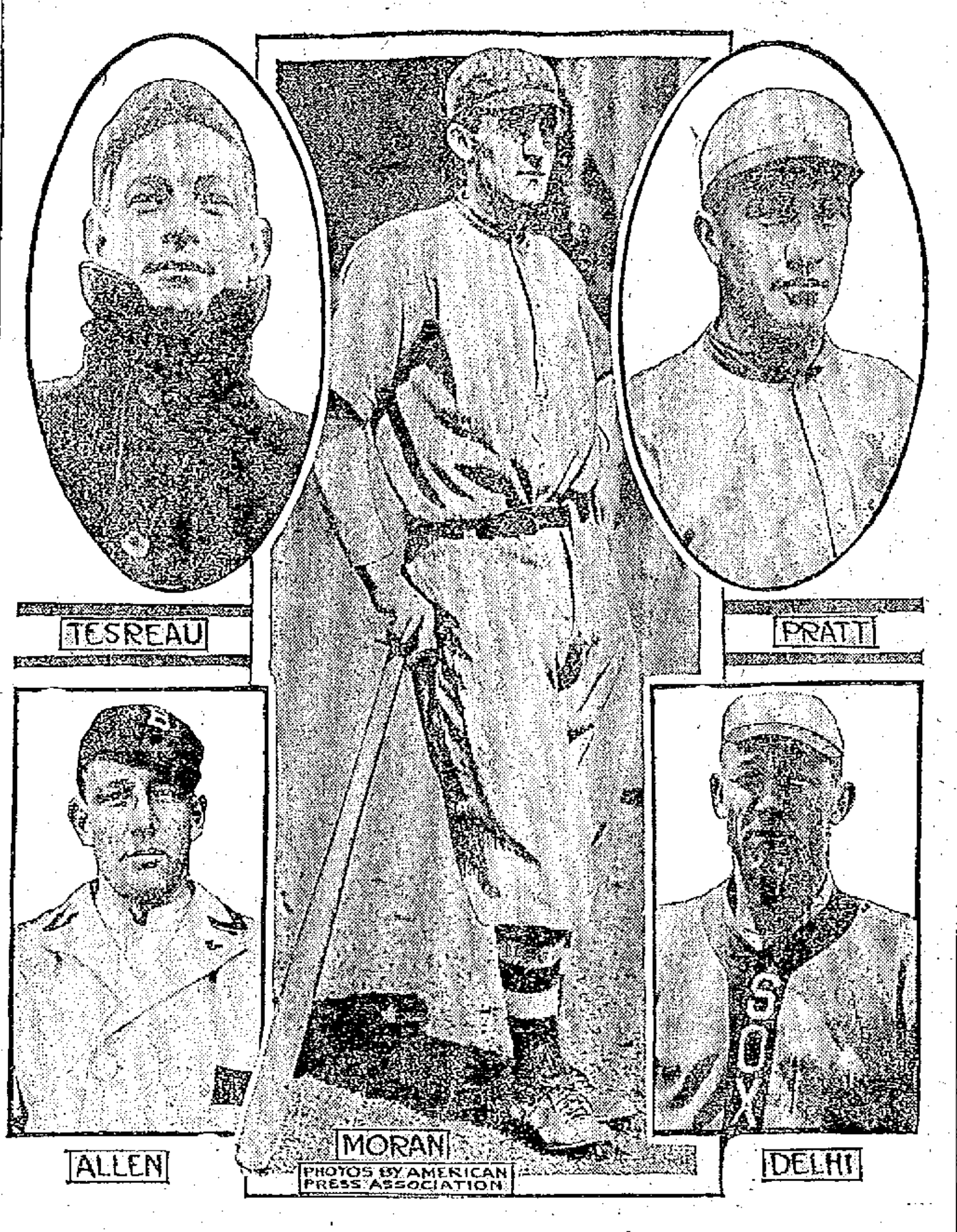
The Groves opened the season yesterday by defeating the All Stars 12 to 9.

The Crimson A. C. would like to arrange games with any team in the city under 18 years of age. Send challenges to James Davies, 48 Fremont street.

The Wamesit A. C. accepts the challenge of the Groves and will meet them on the South common, April 20. Signed,

George Delaney, Manager.

YOUNG "PHENOMS" WHO MAY HELP MAKE BASEBALL HISTORY



NEW YORK, April 12.—Harvest time is at hand for the big league baseball magnates. The crop of young players is about to be garnered, and before another week is passed the scythe will be swinging through the field of candidates for berths in fast company, the wheat separated from the chaff and the prize winners gathered for the exhibitions this summer. Out of the hundreds of youngsters looked over few will stick in fast company, but nearly every club has discovered one or two men good enough to hang on to even though no regular position on the team can be found for them. Among those who have shown they are ready for a berth in fast company and who played well during the spring practice games are Pitcher Jeff Tesreau of the New York Giants. In this youngster McGraw believes he has a star young twirler. Brooklyn has been fortunate in picking up two very promising youngsters in Pitcher Allen and Outfielder Moran. According to critics, the last named should be one of the season's finds. He is a fine batter, swift base runner and an excellent fielder. The Chicago Americans have also been very lucky in picking up a crack pitcher in Delhi and a hard hitting first baseman in Fournier, a French Canadian. St. Louis experts believe Manager Bobby Wallace has landed a prize in Outfielder Pratt, who led the Southern association in batting last year. Wallace says he will be one of the sensations in the American league this season.

REGULARS WON

Defeated the Yannigans 11 to 7

The game between the Regulars and the Yannigans of the Lowell team at Spalding park yesterday afternoon resulted in a victory for the former by the score of 11 to 7. The game was very interesting and all the players showed to good advantage. The game gave all the men on the roster a chance and some excellent plays were pulled off.

There were many spectators present and all were favorably impressed with the work of the players. The squad went out this morning and will also engage in some lively work.

The feature of yesterday's game was the great batting of Magee, Rising, Boultes and Burke. The latter is a recruit catcher and Manager Gray is confident that he has the goods.

While the team is not made up yet, as the Lowell manager is anxious to give all the men a thorough try-out, he feels confident that it will be a very good one and that when the bell rings he will start out with all men in good form.

At the present time the pitching staff is well taken care of. The catching department has several clever candidates with Lavigne of last year's team, Tyler, Burke and Ragesdale, who was traded for Huston. For first base two men are out to beat Wright, the regular of last year. Cooney has short all his own way as has Boultes on third. Magee is strong in left field and for the other outfield positions there are several very good candidates. Second base is at present open, but for this position there are no less than three candidates.

Tomorrow the first team of the squad will play the St. Anselm's college nine and it is expected that a great crowd will be on hand. The game will start at 2.30 o'clock.

IN FINE CONDITION

Thomas and Martin are Ready For Bout

Tonight Joe Thomas and Terry Martin will meet in the main bout at the Lowell Social and Athletic club and as both are very popular men it is expected that the members of the organization will turn out strong to greet them. The bout is scheduled for 12 rounds and each expects to win before the limit is reached. Thomas, who may now be termed a Lowell man has trained very carefully for the match. Today he abandoned his morning run and gave his time to light boxing. His trainers say that he is in great shape and he himself claims that he was never better. Martin has been training in Boston and he too is reported to be finely conditioned for the contest. This bout will undoubtedly be one of the best ever seen in Lowell. Along with this bout three other good ones are on the card. The semi-final is scheduled to go eight rounds and will be furnished by Young Stone of Lowell and Kid Reach of Boston, two very clever men. Stone is in good shape, having put in a lot of work with Joe Thomas during the week. He is confident that he will defeat the fast Boston boy. The latter feels that as he has had sufficient time to get into shape that he will be able to put the Lowell boy away. In the bout between Tommy Doyle of the Acre and Kid Tessler of Centralville, the members are sure to see some fun. Their last meeting was a peach and both are there with the wallop and also with a little science on the side. The other "prelim" will be furnished by Gardner Brooks, a great favorite at the club and Kid Kennedy, also very popular. These are both fit for the go and their exhibition should be one of the evening's features. The meeting will start at 8.15 o'clock and Billy Gardner will officiate.

CALLED A DRAW

Willetts Nearly Beaten Finishes Strong

PHILADEBPHIA, April 12.—In one of the fastest bouts witnessed at the Broadway A. C. this year, Johnny Willetts and Eddie Revoire, both local boys, went six clipping sessions, with honors even at the finish last night.

Revoire had a big lead until the middle of the third round, when he toppled Willetts to the mat with a right to the stomach for the count of nine. Willetts regained his strength, however, and pounded his opponent all over the ring for the remainder of the round.

Revoire was the aggressor from the start, but his punches did not seem to have any effect.

Revoire landed a hard right on the jaw at the beginning of the fifth round which seemed to shake Willetts, but the latter weathered it out and evened up the milling in the sixth.

MORRIS KNOCKS SIMONS OUT

NORTH ADAMS, April 12.—Andy Morris of Boston, substituting for Arthur Pelkey of Chicopee, who injured his hand at Westfield on Monday, stopped Ray Simons of New York in the sixth round before the Western Gateway A. C. of this city last night.

Right hooks to the jaw sent Simons down three times in the sixth, then he was counted out. The rival heavyweights put up a whirlwind bout while it lasted.

Young Baker of North Adams was stopped by Young Grady of Pownal in two rounds, while Kid Sequin of this city beat Chester Johnson of Adams in six rounds.

McCARTHY FINED $15

BOSTON, April 12.—Joseph J. McCarthy of South Boston, former treasurer of the American A. A., which lost its charter when Pres. Edward F. Keevin was convicted in the municipal court on a fight charge, was arraigned before Judge William Sullivan yesterday charged in five counts with promoting a public boxing exhibition at 7 Green street.

Five policemen testified to buying tickets for the bouts, but admitted to having difficulty in getting inside without producing their membership cards. They made excuses about meeting friends who were members, and three of the policemen said they called for certain real members, who pronounced them "all right" and they were passed in.

McCarthy denied that he ever let any one get into the club while he was on the door unless he was a member. Judge Sullivan observed that McCarthy as treasurer knew just what was going on, and if he didn't, it was his business to know. He then found him guilty on all the counts, fining him $15 on the first and placing the other four on file. McCarthy paid.

TO CUT EXPENSES

Water Dept. Machinists to Repair the Fire Engines

Commissioner Andrew E. Barrett has made a discovery that means considerable to the taxpayers of Lowell. He has discovered that fire engines can be repaired by water department machinists. Heretofore engines were sent away and the bills for repairs were quite formidable.

At the last meeting of the municipal council Commissioner Barrett told his brother members that he was arranging for a fire engine test and he wanted them to be present. He also asked the city hall reporters to grace the occasion by their presence. The test was held yesterday. The reporters were Johnnies on the spot, but Commissioner Barrett's brother members were conspicuous by their absence.

The test had to do with one of the oldest and lightest of the fire engines of the city, old Torrent 2, and despite its age and its short weight the old engine is, as Dave Kimball would say: "Right there with the berries." It will be remembered that a transfer of fire engines was made a short time ago and Torrent 2 was taken away from the Branch street house. The old "masheen" was badly in need of repairs and bids for the repairs had been called for. The lowest bid was somewhere in the vicinity of $1500 and that amount looked a big heap of money to Andrew Barrett.

Now in the employ of the water department there is a man, Michael Sullivan by name, who is credited with being one of the best machinists in the country. Mr. Sullivan is pretty well along in years but his hands and eyes have not lost their cunning. He looked the engine over and allowed that he could repair it. The repairs were made and declared O. K. by the state inspector of boilers. The cost of repairs was very small as compared with the price asked by outsiders.

Mr. Barrett allowed that he had found out something, but he wanted to see the old engine in action before saying too much about it. The test was made this afternoon in Kyan street and the way that old engine pumped was a caution. The water was drawn from the Western canal, a distance of about 20 feet, and the nozzle was pointed toward the other side of the canal a distance of about 100 feet. The test was really more than satisfactory and the Torrent upheld her record of 506 gallons a minute. In the first tryout the glass showed 150 pounds of water and 90 pounds of steam and the stream that deluged the ground on the other side of the canal was thrown high enough to wet down a roof garden on a western skyscraper. It was one great stream and the boys who have been friendly with Torrent 2 for years stood back and smiled their admiration.

Those present at the test this afternoon included Commissioner Barrett, Supt. Thomas of the water department, Capt. Henry Boynton, Engineer Morrison of the Branch street house, the reporters and several others attracted there by the demonstration.

MATRIMONIAL

A very pretty wedding took place Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Conway, 22 Floyd street, when Miss Martha Edwards, a popular member of St. Peter's parish, and Mr. Howard Fralick, a member of the Holy Name of St. Peter's parish, were united in marriage by Rev. W. George Mullin. The bride was becomingly gowned in a blue whipcord suit. The bridemaid was Miss Mary Kelly, a popular young lady of Belvidere, who also wore a blue whipcord. The best man was Mr. William Bell. A wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. John Edwards, 159 Cross street. The happy couple left on a late train for Boston and will be at home to their many friends after the first of May at 81 Chestnut street. They were the recipients of numerous costly presents.

NEW ORPHANAGE

The contract for the erection of the new St. Peter's orphanage was awarded yesterday. The building will be erected on Stevens st. near the corner of Parker st. Rev. Charles Galligan, pastor of St. Margaret's parish, announced that Patrick Conlon of this city was given the contract for the new building.

St. Peter's orphanage is at the present time located in the Shaw building on Chelmsford street. The site on Stevens street is a very good one and as it is on elevated land the air is very healthful.

On the site of the old orphanage building on Appleton street which was purchased by the N. E. T. & T. Co. a new building has been erected.

Work on the new orphanage will start soon, and it is expected that ground will be broken in a few days.

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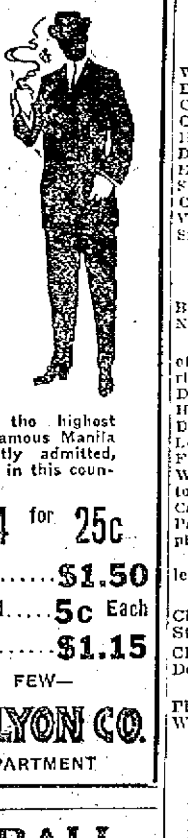

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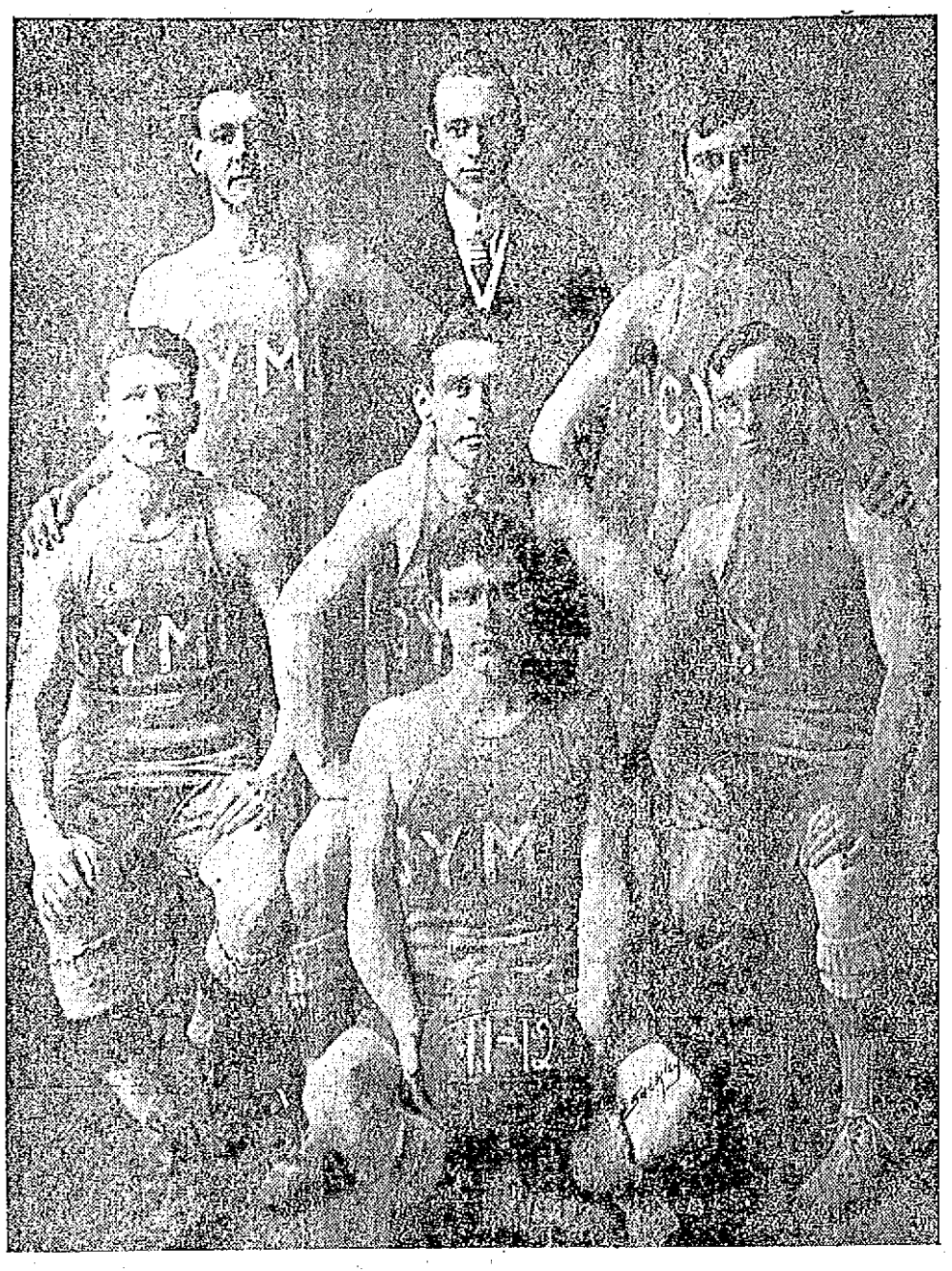

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THE C. Y. M. L. TEAM

Claims Championship of the City

The C. Y. M. L. basketball team won the second and deciding game of the series from the Mysteries at Mathew hall last night. The final score was C. Y. M. L. 22, Mysteries 15. By taking last night's game the Lyceum boys clinch their claim to the championship of the city. They have not played some of the fast local teams but as Manager Quinn of the team has challenged all he now claims the title and is ready to defend it against all comers. Last night's game brought the series of three contests between these two teams to an end. The first game was more exciting than last night's exhibition, inasmuch as the winner was not determined until the last few minutes of play. That game resulted in the score of 16 to 11 with the boys from the North common on the long end.

The team played nine games this season and won all.

In last night's game the Lyceum had the better of the contest all the way. They started at the sound of the whistle and kept at it until the last minute of play. They gave one of the best exhibitions of team work that has been seen here in a long time. The features of the game were the shooting of C. Flynn and Maloney and the fine covering of Brennan, F. Flynn and Florey, while the best work for the defeated quintet was done by Clark and Farrell.

The lineup:

C. Y. M. L.	Mysteries
F. Flynn, rf	rf, Clark
Brennan, lf	lf, Morris
F. Flynn, c	c, O'Brien
Maloney, rb	rb, Dwyer
Florey, lb	lb, Farrell

Baskets: C. Flynn 4, Farrell 3, Maloney 2, Clark 2, Brennan, Flynn, Florey, Morris. Score—C. Y. M. L. 22, Mysteries 15. Referee, Wilson. Timers Kelley and Canney. Scorers Hart and Mullin. Time, 20 minute halves.

BOXING GOSSIP

Frank Klaus of Pittsburgh, who calls himself "middleweight champion of the world," is in New York, prepared to accept the best offer available for a match with anybody. Klaus says he rightfully won the title when he beat Jack Dillon in San Francisco. He declares that he did not take on Eddie McGoorty of Oshkosh because the latter refused to make 158 pounds, ringside, the recognized American middleweight limit. Regarding a battle with Mike Gibbons, Klaus states that he will not come down to 152 pounds ringside, which Gibbons wants, but he intimates that he might agree to 156.

"If Mona will make 158 ringside," Klaus remarked yesterday, "I will take him on and, what is more, I will beat him."

Klaus, it is understood, has received an offer from the Garden A. C.

Bob Moha's bubble burst at the Madison A. C., New York, Tuesday night. If the bout had lasted twenty rounds instead of ten Freddie Hicks might have scored a knockout. Moha showed poor ability to land squarely and was very slow in taking advantage of openings. He is a mark for a fast hitter and is lost when it comes to boxing at long range. Moha, in short, is simply a rough and tumble performer who is dangerous in half clinches only.

Young Erne of Philadelphia and K. O. Brown of this city will box ten rounds at the Madison A. C., New York, next Monday night. The fur should fly in this mixup.

The "ringer" who, under the name of Black Bill, was knocked out by Joe Jeannette at Lewiston, Me., last week, is a negro named Jack McCargo, who has appeared in several preliminary bouts in this city. The real Black Bill is touring the large cities as the sparring partner of Albert Palzer, who is receiving $500 a week.

Sam Langford, flushed with a victory over Sam McVey in Australia, has renewed his challenge to Jack Johnson, who may have a chance to try out the Tar Baby in Madison Square Garden, New York, in June. It is said that the State Athletic commission will permit Johnson to box there if his antagonist is a negro, but he will not be allowed to put on the gloves with any of the so-called white hopes.

POSTOFFICE TEAM

Scored Victory Over the Lamsons

On the Crescent alleys last night the Postoffice team took two strings and the total from the Lamson team. O'Day and Willis of the winners each rolled 291. The score:

Postoffice	1	2	3	T'ls
Shaughnessey	81	84	80	245
Ivers	83	71	93	247
Maguire	80	88	88	256
Willis	94	94	103	291
Turnquist	88	86	89	263
O'Day	86	107	98	291
Totals	512	530	551	1593

Lamsons				
A. Grant	86	72	80	237
Cummings	87	85	77	249
Humphrey	94	88	93	275
Jackson	98	85	85	268
G. Grant	90	94	78	271
McDonald	80	83	91	254
Totals	543	507	504	1554

THE GLIDDEN ROUTE

Will be Decided Upon in Near Future

The floods along the Mississippi will have no effect on the route of the Glidden tour for 1912, because the tour comes so late in the season that whatever damage has been caused to roads no doubt will be repaired by the time the tour is run in October. Although the place for the southern end of the tour has been decided upon, that is to say it will surely be New Orleans, the city where the tour will begin still is in doubt.

There are no less than five cities which have been named as a probable starting place. They are Detroit, Indianapolis, Cleveland, Minneapolis and Chicago. There are good reasons for fixing the start in any one of these five and all of them have adherents who are urging their claims. If the tour should start at either Detroit, Indianapolis or Cleveland it would go down on the east side of the Mississippi river. If from Minneapolis or Chicago it would probably run on the west side as far as St. Louis. One thing that would have to be taken care of is to get from St. Louis to Memphis, because it is definitely decided that the last stages of the contest will include the run from Memphis to New Orleans. It is desired to include Kansas City, if the American road congress is to be held there in October.

All these matters and others pertaining to the Glidden tour will be taken up at the meeting in Buffalo of the executive committee of the American automobile Association, to be held on April 18. At this meeting Col. Frank M. Joyce of Minneapolis, who is one of the vice-presidents of the American Automobile Association, will report on the state of affairs. It was Col. Joyce who arranged with the people in New Orleans to have the tour finish in that city. There is a good deal of sentiment in favor of having a tour run straight from the Twin Cities to the Gulf.

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THE C. M. A. C. WON

TOOK GAME FROM THE A. G. CADETS

The fourth game in a series of basketball games between the A. G. Cadets and the C. M. A. C. was held last night in the C. M. A. C. gymnasium with the result that the former were again defeated, the score being 23 to 14. On account of the teams standing even, each team having won two games, another game will be played next Thursday to determine the champions. The lineup last night was as follows:

A. G. Cadets: L. Vigeant, Dan Brunelle, F. Descheneaux, L. Lavalle, Henry Boulais.

C. M. A. C.: L. Descheneaux, A. Hamel, A. Lemay (first half), Tancrede Blanchette (second half), E. Fontaine. The referee was Mr. Gagnon.

Notice to Water Takers

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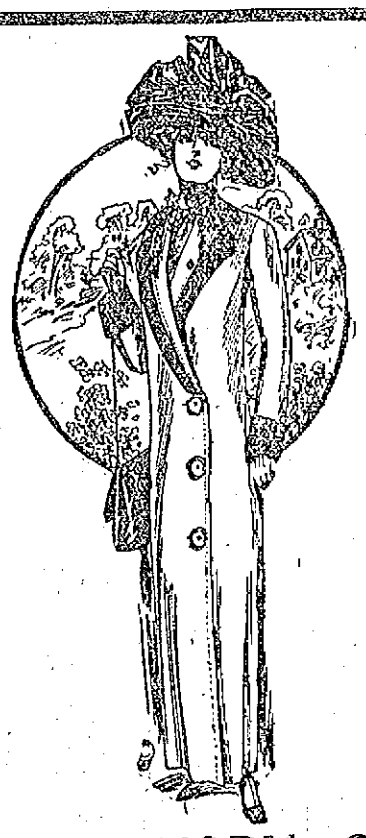

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12-18 JOHN STREET

AN ERUPTION

Of the Chiriqui Peak is Reported

MOBILE, Ala., April 12.—Corroboration of the report of an eruption of Chiriqui peak near Bocas Del Tore, Panama, was brought to Mobile last night on the Norwegian steamer Origen. Captain Wang and other officers of the vessel tell of steaming through warm, brown water when passing through the Yucatan channel. They believe the phenomenon was caused by a submarine disturbance. Thousands of lives are believed to have been lost, the officers said, but no true estimate of the damage to life and property had been made at the time the Origen left for Mobile. Captain Wang said that he believed that a volcano under sea had been discovered in the Yucatan.

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PUT ON PROBATION

Percy Yates of New Bedford Got Off Easy

Percy Yates, aged 16 years, appeared before Judge Pickman in the juvenile session of the police court this morning on a complaint charging him with breaking and entering and larceny. He broke into Carr's billiard and pool parlors in Gorham street last Sunday night and was caught in the act of rifling the cash register by Patrolman Roarke, who had been stationed there by Mr. Carr.

When placed under arrest he gave the name of Thomas Henderson, said he was 14 years of age and lived in New Bedford. While in jail he sent a letter to his mother in New Bedford and when the mother came to this city she gave his true name, age and residence and said that he had been a source of annoyance to her but that if the court would allow him to return with her she could watch him more closely in the future.

Inasmuch as Mr. Carr did not care about pressing the case the court placed the young man on probation for a term of six months.

CARPET ASSAULT CASE

Two Men Fined for Assaulting Man Who Tried to Eject Them

Nicholas Kretos and Joseph Pappas were arraigned before Judge John J. Pickman in police court this morning on complaints charging them with assault and battery on Thomas H. Mullin, a second hand at the Bigelow Carpet company and also with trespassing upon the premises. Through their counsel, D. J. Donahue, pleas of not guilty were entered but the court found the men guilty and ordered Kretos to pay a fine of $17 for assault and Pappas to pay a fine of $12. The cases of trespass were placed on file.

The first witness for the government was the complainant, Thomas H. Mullin, who testified that he was a second hand in the mill. He said that the defendants were passing through the card room Wednesday morning between 7 and 7.15 o'clock and he asked them where they were going. They said that they were looking for a friend. He said he ordered them to leave the place and when they refused to do so he started to push them out and one of the men grabbed hold of him while the other struck him.

On cross-examination the witness said he had a screw driver in his hand and was trying to defend himself.

Annie Burdsley testified that she had been employed in the card room for the past two weeks and witnessed the assault. She said that one of the men had a large wooden spool in his hand and that the other picked up a gear and later dropped it on the floor. Katherino Fay corroborated her testimony.

James Hogg, superintendent of the Bigelow Carpet company, testified to having instructed the complainant as well as other second hands and overseers at the start of the strike to keep people, other than employes, out of the place.

Pappas, one of the defendants, said that he went into the mill for the purpose of looking for a job and asked the complainant where the overseer was and the complainant used vile language and started to rush him out of the place. Kretos testified along the same line.

The court after considering the evidence found the men guilty and imposed fines. Appeals were taken and each defendant was held under $200 bonds for the superior court.

Stole a Watch

Alexander Stempin was charged with the larceny of a watch valued at $30. He was found guilty and sentenced to the Lyman school.

Drunken Offenders

Joseph Lamontagne, charged with being drunk, was sentenced to three months in jail. Charles Henderson was fined $6.

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CAUSE AND CURE OF DYSPEPSIA

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MORE FOREIGNERS

Are To Leave This City Tomorrow

Today is the first day for the past few weeks that no foreigners were reported as leaving this city. About every day since the strike in this city started a number of aliens left here for other places. Today, however, none went.

Yesterday there was a party of twenty of the strikers that went to Salmon Falls, N. H., these were brought there at the expense of an agent for one of the mills there. This is the second number that this man has taken from here to his city. In this party there were several women. Several others left yesterday for the southern part of the state. Another party is scheduled to leave tomorrow.

One of the attaches at the depot in conversation with a reporter for The Sun said that yesterday morning a prominent Lowell mill man at whose mill there are a number of strikers, asked him if it was true that a number of people were leaving this city. The former replied in the affirmative and then the mill man said: "They will not stay there long." He later asked how many went and to what places they were going and he was informed. Just then the mill man's train for Boston came in and he left.

Trains Late

The 10.49 train did not arrive at the depot this morning until 11.17 o'clock. The Central Vermont train was also quite late this morning. The reason for the delay was said to be owing to the heavy travel.

The Summer Schedule

The summer schedule for the Marthas Vineyard and Nantucket lines has been issued and will go into effect on next Monday, April 15. This is very interesting to Lowell people as many annually take a trip to this point. The trains will run from the local depot over the New York, New Haven & Hartford road. The train that leaves Lowell at 7 a. m. will arrive at New Bedford at 10.20. This will connect with a train that will leave at 10.45 and arrive at Nantucket at 4 o'clock.

PANAMA CANAL

Is Greatest Engineering Feat Ever Attempted

Rev. R. Perry Bush, D. D., of Chelsea addressed the Men's club of the First Universalist church last evening and said some interesting things about the Panama canal. He said the undertaking was the greatest engineering feat ever attempted. Dr. Bush made a trip to the Panama canal zone last fall. He said that while the engineering constituted the biggest feat of its kind ever attempted, the sanitary work of Col. Gorgas was without precedent. The pioneers of the canal, Shonts, Wallace and Stevens constituted a trio of men seldom equalled by any nation and at any time. However, at the present time, the entire scheme is outlined in the brain of Lieut. Col. Goethals, a regular army officer, who is a type of the best that there is in American life. Absolutely fearless, careful and considerate, wholly honest, deeply interested in the welfare of everybody in the canal zone he is a truly remarkable character.

The canal will surely be ready for use in 1913, said the speaker, it being over four-fifths completed at the present time. It will, when done, mean a cut of 7500 miles in the run from New York to San Francisco. It will mean that South America will be much nearer to the ports of North America than to those of any other part of the world. It will increase tremendously the trade of our republic.

"But if the battleship Oregon had not been forced to circle Cape Horn," he said, "in a time of war, to join our fleet off Cuba it is very probable the canal would not have been built, at least not now. I am not an alarmist, I am not prophesying war, but Japan has not written all of her history. No longer do the Japanese worship at their Buddhist, their Brahmin, their Shinto, their Tao shrines. They are a people without a religion today. Nothing has gone in to take the places of the religions they have discarded. They reverence their forefathers and they have a remarkable love for their mother land. In the war with Russia they performed remarkable surgical and sanitary work on the field of battle. They exhibited a knowledge of medicine which astounded the entire civilized world. They have as good guns as we have, and they know how to shoot. Their knowledge of the great cities of the world is most complete. I doubt not but that they know the mills of Lowell from A to Z. And nobody can tell when an irresponsible crowd may do something which might precipitate a war with Japan. Her history has not all been written.

"And then there is China, with her 400 millions of people, with an army being trained by German and American experts. China is accomplishing within a short time what it took centuries to do in other nations.

"We have not built the Panama canal for fun. We hope to benefit from it in the increase of our imports and exports, we hope to gain a brotherhood with other nations which has heretofore been denied, and we hope, not to increase our fleets, but to make it possible for them to get from one seaboard to the other in short order."

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ABOLISH THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

The school board wasted time unnecessarily perhaps in prying into the work of the board of supervisors whose business it is or has been to select teachers as required for the local schools. This is a very important function which is usually assigned to the superintendent or to a training school; but some time after the Lowell training school was abolished, the school board devised the board of supervisors for the purpose of selecting new teachers.

An examination of applicants for teachers' positions was held annually, none being eligible except those who were graduates of a normal school or college and who had had a year's experience in teaching elsewhere than in Lowell. The members of the board of supervisors, made up of the grammar masters, were required to visit the applicants either at work or at their homes and so far as might be, judge of their personal fitness for the teaching profession.

There was strong objection to the arrangement requiring resident teachers to go out of town for experience before they could be appointed to the Lowell schools. The residents of Lowell regarded this as a discrimination against local applicants, for when the Lowell girl went outside to teach and wished to return she had to compete against the country at large before getting an appointment as teacher in her native city.

The residents who went to the expense of educating their daughters and having them pass through the normal school, very reasonably objected to this arrangement; they felt that the Lowell graduates of a normal school or college should have some consideration more than those from Maine, New Hampshire, New York or points more distant. This system has already resulted in sending many young Lowell teachers to other cities or to country towns while others who may not be a whit better, if as good, have been chosen to the local schools.

This new method of selecting teachers naturally became unpopular in Lowell. There was strong opposition to its continuance and it certainly entered into the school contests of last December. It was not surprising, therefore, that one of the first things done by the new school board was to order the supervisors not to make any more visits to out-of-town applicants. The work of the supervisors was still further investigated on Wednesday night with the result that the board will probably be abolished to make way for a merit system in which the applicants for teachers' positions will not be required to go out of town for their early experience.

Under such a system, properly applied, the school board could procure as good teachers as by the other method. Indeed we believe that a system under which the young teachers serve their probationary period in the local schools, will give better results than did the supervisory plan. Moreover, it will be more just to local applicants and more satisfactory to the taxpayers who help to support the schools.

It is generally conceded that the school committee will make no mistake by abolishing the board of supervisors and establishing a merit system that will be what the name implies, one that will safeguard the schools against the appointment of the unfit, and against the teachers who lack the ability to govern or some other essential quality without which the teacher can never do successful work.

It is the system that is condemned rather than the method by which it was administered. This idea of saddling upon the grammar masters a duty and a responsibility that belonged to the office of superintendent was radically wrong, and yet it was but one instance of an absurd policy of devolution that has lifted practically all the responsibility from the shoulders of the superintendent until the office has degenerated to the status of a mere clerkship.

SCOOPED ON POPE'S DEATH

Hearst's Boston paper had a great scoop on its contemporaries yesterday in the exclusive announcement in "mourning extras" of the death of Pope Pius X with "official confirmation" by a cablegram from Rome. Even the scenes at the deathbed of His Holiness were minutely described "officially" also of course. Here is a sample of the dope:

> "Just before the pontiff yielded up his spirit, he spoke in sweetest accents to those around his bedside, whose prayers for his passing soul were broken by quiet sobbing."

While that "intelligence" was given to the public His Holiness was holding regular audiences at the Vatican, and the only excuse for such a fake was a Madrid despatch announcing that the pope was dead. This was promptly denied at Rome and the mistake was explained as an operator's error in interpreting a code message.

This is another illustration of the "reliability" of the Boston paper, for if it be so reckless on an important matter how much more so on matters of less account. This scoop was of the same class as that in which the same paper announced the election of Mr. Frothingham as governor last November. In that case the artistic mourning features and the elaboration of deathbed scenes were not deemed necessary; but the "news" was equally "official," having been confirmed by the "reliable" cable, wireless and yellow agencies with which the Boston organ is so lavishly equipped.

NEW SHINGLE ROOFS OUTLAWED

The town of Brookline is in many respects a model for the whole United States. It has public baths in which young people are taught to swim; it has splendid schools, including first class manual training establishments, and now the town as a precaution against fire has adopted an ordinance against the use of shingles as roofing material. That means that all new houses are to have slate roofs, which is an excellent idea and one that should be adopted by other cities and towns in order to reduce the fire losses and cut down the insurance rates. There is so little difference in price of shingles and slates that it is poor policy anyhow to use shingles for roofing in any building bigger than a hencoop.

That the socialists are strong in Illinois may explain the victory of Roosevelt in that state.

SEEN AND HEARD

A man and his wife called at the treasurer's office at city hall a few days ago and as they left the office they were confronted by a small army of men and it seemed as if every mother's soul of "em" was smoking. The place was filled with smoke, and after escorting his good frau to the carriage the indignant husband returned to the treasurer's office. "What business have those men out there smoking?" he asked, impatiently. "They are looking for work," replied that most genial of clerks, "Joe" Farrell.

"Very well, but how about the smoke?" queried the visitor.

"They are waiting for the commissioner of fire department and water works and they allow that where there is fire and water there must be some smoke," replied Mr. Farrell, and the visitor went his way.

WASTED TIME

It was nine o'clock last evening when
some callers came to call.
I was sitting in a corner with my back
against the wall,
Within a heap of clover lying in my
lap, and taking pains
With my clumsy, fumbling fingers at
contriving clover chains,
With my youngest crouched beside me
with her glad blue eyes alight,
Choosing long-stemmed blossoms, telling
me which way was right;
And the hour was lifted with laughter,
'twas a most engrossing game,
Till the doorbell clanged its summons
and until our callers came.

Jinx said, standing there above me
with a pitying sort of smile,
"I can't see, not for a minute, how you
can find it worth while
To waste time the way you're doing, on
such foolish, childish things;
Don't catch me at any nonsense; when
one of my children brings
Playroom stuff to me to fool with,
that's the time they go to bed;
None of that in mine!" I pondered on
the words my caller said,
And I thought of the young Jinxes
back at home there fast asleep,
And my heart was filled with pity for
each lonesome little heap.
"Wasted time," my caller called it
wasted time to bring such joy
To the heart of a wee girlie, or a little
bit o' boy
That through all the years of living
they will smile when they recall
How their daddy, in the corner with his
back against the wall
Played at games to make them happy,
how their mother loved at night
To cut rows of paper dollies for a little
girl's delight.
Humph! I went on with my weaving,
adding new links onto links—
Wasted time! You bet I wasn't wasting
any time on jinx.

—Judd Mortimer Lewis.

Mayor Baker of Cleveland said at a recent democratic banquet, apropos of a disgruntled statesman:

"He was disgruntled, and he had a right to be disgruntled, and all our consolation and comfort rang as hollow as the keeper's consolation to the poor shot.

"A poor shot made a dreadful exhibition of himself while rabbiting. Finally a rabbit, about five yards in front, sat down broadside of him, and he took slow and careful aim.

"It seemed to him he couldn't miss such a splendid broadside, and after the report he opened his eyes and said to the keeper, hopefully:

" 'Well, did I hit him?'

"The keeper scratched his ear.

" 'I dunno, sir,' he said, 'as I can exactly say you hit him, but I never seen a rabbit wuss skaht.' "

The recent high price of eggs and the present back-to-the-soil movement combine to give this fugitive anecdote a timely tinge:

One of the back-to-the-sellers went to raising chickens with great enthusiasm and small success this winter.

"I sent him out to gather eggs a few days ago," his wife relates. "In about an hour he returned to the house, perspiring profusely, but empty handed. 'Where are the eggs?' I asked.

" 'There ain't none,' he answered. 'And that ain't the worst of it. I wouldn't kick about not getting any eggs, but what gets my goat is to see all those high priced hens standing around the yard and not even trying to do anything.' "

PEOPLE OF NOTE

The cornerstone of the new Spanish chapel at 156th street and Broadway, New York, which is to be known as Our Lady of Hope, was laid on Tuesday. Mgr. M. J. Lavelle officiated at the ceremony, and only a few invited guests were present. It is expected that the building will be completed in June and will then be consecrated by Cardinal Farley. It will be one of the group comprising the Hispanic museum, the Numismatic society building and that of the American Geographical Society.

The ground was given by Archer Huntington and the architect is Chas. P. Huntington, who also designed the other buildings of the group. Mrs. Manuel de Barril first interested Mr. Huntington in providing a place of worship for Spaniards in this city, and since her death her daughter, Miss Marie de Barril, has done much in promoting the raising of funds. This work has been in charge of a committee named by Cardinal Farley, and composed of Alberto Leon, Miguel Martinez, Nicholas Laenz, Antonio Gonzalez and Alberto Falcon.

Roman renaissance is the style of the new building. The interior decorations are by Caryl Coleman. King Alfonso gave a large lamp. The church will be in charge of the Fathers of the Assumption, who now conduct the Spanish chapel at 229 West Fourteenth street. Father Adrian Buisson is the rector.

Sir John Hare, the English actor, who has not appeared professionally in New York since 1901 and who is 68 years of age, arrived in New York with Lady Hare by the White Star liner Olympic on the way to Ottawa. Sir John said he would be a judge at a competition between amateur dramatic societies of Canada. He had been originally invited to act in this capacity several years ago by Earl Grey, but had been unable to do so. The Duke of Connaught, the present governor-general of Canada, had renewed the invitation and Sir John said he found it possible to accept.

"I have practically retired from the stage," Sir John said. "I do not expect to come back here again to act. As I have been forty-six years acting I think I am entitled to retire."

Thirty-five of the "leading cartoonists and caricaturists of New York" gave a dinner at Martin's to F. B. Opper, who, according to the speakers, is the dean of the caricaturists and cartoonists of America. Walt McDougall from Philadelphia did the introducing and found a chance to make a speech himself. He said that Dean Opper was only an excuse for having a dinner, but that if there must be an excuse he was a good one. Dean Opper allowed as how he was glad and proud to be the excuse for the first dinner the "leading cartoonists and caricaturists of New York" ever held, and he hoped all the bright young men of the fraternity would stick to their glorious profession long enough so that they could have dinners given for them.

There was some discussion about the deanship, as to whether the honor didn't belong to W. A. Rogers of the Herald, to E. W. Kemble of Harper's Weekly or to Mr. McDougall, but when Mr. Opper tried to resign in some other grayhead's favor there were loud cries of protest.

Somebody undertook to sum up Dean Opper's past life, and told how that he was 60 years old and had been doing pictures for the American for twelve years, ever since he left Puck. It was decided that the only legal action now pending against him was comic supplementary proceedings. A few of those who applauded all the compliments paid to Dean Opper were Tad Winsor McCay, R. Dirks, William H. Walker, Rudolph Block, C. R. Macauley, Archie Gunn, N. J. Steinigans, James Swinnerton and Erhart.

William T. Ewbanks of Flushing, Queens, New York, died Wednesday at Dr. Harrison's sanitarium in Whitestone, aged 84 years. He was born in the house in Washington street in which he lived all his life. He was of Quaker ancestry. His father kept a general store and when he died, about fifty years ago, he left his entire fortune to his son. It was then the largest personal fortune in Flushing. Mr. Ewbanks a few years ago deeded valuable property to St. George's church with the understanding it was to be managed for his benefit until his death, when the parish was to come into full possession of it.

Mr. Ewbanks tried to impress upon his neighbors his views regarding economy. He had cards and calendars printed which at times he distributed from door to door. Maxims concerning frugality were printed on these unsolicited gifts. If he thought a man was exceeding his income in household expenditures Mr. Ewbanks would make a call and hand to the occupant of the house a card bearing the advice:

"If you are more economical in your expenditures your grocer will not have to dun you so much."

When he saw young men with no visible means of support wearing costly clothing he would stop them on the street and present a card which was printed:

"If your clothes did not cost so much you would not have to look the other way when you see your haberdasher coming up the street."

He was a member of the Flushing Historical society and the Flushing Association and took an active part in the village improvements. He never married.

How to Have A Beautiful Complexion

One of our lady readers who found that her skin was becoming harsh and dry from the use of powders, rouge and creams, sends us the formula below. She states that the simple, harmless, and inexpensive lotion made therefrom softened her skin, and so greatly enhanced the beauty of her complexion that she has entirely done away with all other preparations which she had been accustomed to use. This lotion can easily be prepared at home or by any good druggist. It calls for two ounces of Rose Water, one drachm Tincture of Benzoin, and two ounces Flowers of Oxzoin. Mix together and apply night and morning with the hands or use a soft cloth or sponge. Always shake well before using. Our obliging correspondent asks that her name be withheld for personal reasons, but nevertheless gives us the permission to publish her letter for the benefit of other readers. She adds that this formula was given her by a woman 65 years old whose youthful complexion and almost total absence of wrinkles were a source of wonder and admiration to all who knew her.

Reference to the Riker-Jaynes drug store of this city, brings out the statement that these ingredients are all regularly carried in their stock and that they can fill the prescription at any time.

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LIVING SKELETON NO MORE

THINNEST MAN IN BIRMINGHAM GAINS FIFTY POUNDS IN NINETY DAYS

Appearance So Changed Friends Hardly Knew Him. Tells How He Did It

George ("Slats") Bonnett, night clerk at Shelter Inn, and known to every resident as Birmingham's "human beanpole," has suddenly gained 50 lbs. in weight. Bonnett, who, it is said, once refused a circus offer to exhibit himself as the living skeleton, has for years maintained an even weight of 103 pounds. He is nearly six feet tall. He has never enjoyed his reputation for leanness or the many jokes that have been made at his expense, and says he has tried every means he ever heard of to put on flesh, without result. His appetite was always good and he fairly gorged himself on the so-called flesh forming foods. He used Cod Liver Oil, various advertised flesh producers and tonics galore, but did not increase his weight one ounce. Doctors told him his trouble was "Mal-Nutrition," and that all the flesh making elements in his food, instead of being assimilated by the blood, were passing through his body as waste. They admitted they could not make him stout and told him to be happy so long as he had his health.

But about six months ago Bonnett's health failed him, a complication of Kidney Trouble and Intestinal Indigestion demanded immediate medical attention. His physician prescribed for him a most original course of treatment. He employed certain harmless drugs for the kidneys and intestines but because of the complications in his patient's case, combined them in a way he had never used before. Two weeks later he found Bonnett practically cured and was amazed to learn that he had in addition gained 10 lbs. in weight. Though hardly believing at the time, that his treatment had caused this rapid increase, he urged Bonnett to continue as the ingredients were absolutely harmless. In three weeks he had gained 16 lbs. and at the end of 30 days, 22 lbs. Now, after three months' treatment Bonnett weighs 153 lbs., a clear gain of 50 lbs. and is still growing stout, though the doctor says he can stop any time by merely stopping the treatment. His appearance is so changed and improved that old patrons of the hotel, on registering, hardly know him and think a new man is on the desk.

Here is the prescription which Mr. Bonnett used: Tincture Cardamoms Compound 2 ozs., Elixir of Calisaya 2 ozs., Fluid Saltogyn 2 ozs., Water 2 ozs. Directions: Ask the druggist to mix all the ingredients except the Saltogyn in an 8 oz. bottle and have him give you the Saltogyn separately. When you get home add half the Saltogyn and shake well. After taking three doses add the remainder of the Saltogyn shake again and continue taking. Dose: Two tablespoonfuls 20 minutes before meals.

Mr. Bonnett's physician says that the same prescription can be filled by any druggist and that he believes Bonnett's experience can be duplicated by any thin man or woman. He adds that while the treatment is wonderfully effective for Kidney and Intestinal trouble that it should never be used in this combination unless the patient also desires to take on weight, as in a number of later tests made upon other thin people it has in every instance caused an increase of 3 to 4 lbs. a week.

Inquiry develops the fact that Riker-Jaynes drug store, this city, has all the ingredients in stock and will fill the prescription promptly and carefully at any time.

CHELMSFORD

The monthly social and supper held at the church vestry last evening, under the auspices of the Unitarian society was a grand success. The supper was served at 6.30 o'clock and 150 enjoyed the luncheon. A pleasing musical program arranged by Arthur M. Warren was given and it was greatly enjoyed. The program started at 8 o'clock and was as follows: Orchestra selections, (a) "Home from Camp," march; (b) cornet solo, violins, Dr. Amasa Howard, Ludger Lavorgne, W. E. Adams; cornet, G. Thomas Parkhurst; clarinet, C. M. Cushman; trombone, Louis LaTour; pianist, Henry Johnson; solo, "You Must Think I'm Santa Claus," Herbert Ellis of North Billerica; selection by orchestra; reading, "A Yankee Ballad," Rev. L. L. Greene; solo, "A Dream," by J. C. Bartlett, A. M. Warren; orchestra; solo, "The Chink of the Miner's Gold," Herbert Ellis; orchestra; solo, "Answer," by Robyn, A. M. Warren; orchestra. The supper was in charge of Fred Chandler, assisted by J. E. Warren, W. H. Hall, V. L. Parkhurst, H. S. Adams, and the waiters were, A. J. Hill, Sidney Perham, H. W. Sweetser, Elmer R. Hill, A. H. Fletcher, C. J. Holt, Ben Cole, A. C. Perham, M. A. Bean.

Any article to be inserted in the warrant for the special town meeting to be held in May must be placed with the selectmen not later than 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. A. Heudy Park of South Chelmsford has announced his candidacy for selectman to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Charles Lyons.

Watuppas, Prescott, Miner's, tonight.

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SITUATION IS GRAVE

It is Feared Flood May Break Levees in Arkansas

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 12.—Telephone communication was lost during the morning with Luxora and Marked Tree, Ark., and the last news heard from the first two named towns was that the levee situation was very grave. This announcement was made by the St. Francis levee board.

The last report from Marked Tree said the water was rising steadily there at about an inch an hour.

Telegrams to United States Senator Clark of Arkansas were forwarded today by the St. Francis levee board asking him to take up with the federal authorities the question of distribution of corn and cotton seed for spring planting.

FLOOD FIGHTERS

ARE PUTTING UP A GREAT BATTLE

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 12.—The little armies of flood fighters are holding their own all along the upper stretches of the Mississippi river today. At Luxora and Osceola, Ark., the situation is still critical and breaks may occur although the flood is gradually receding and the end of the crisis is in sight. A fast boat with a cargo of provisions for the villagers was started from Memphis this morning. The river here continues to fall slowly.

In the Memphis district Helena, Ark., is becoming the center of interest. Water from three breaks is making its way back into the Mississipi river through the St. Francis river, which empties into the Mississippi just above that city. However, the levee at Helena is unusually strong and it is believed it will withstand the pressure.

RIVER IS RISING

GREENVILLE, Miss., April 12.—The river here today stands at 50.5 feet, a rise of two tenths of a foot since yesterday. This is one and four-tenths feet higher than at previous recordings but all levees are holding strong at Greenville and elsewhere in this vicinity.

MAN MURDERED

George E. Marsh of Lynn Found With Five Bullet Wounds in Body

LYNN, April 12.—The body of George E. Marsh, president of the Good Will Soap Manufacturing company of this city was found beside the Point of Pines boulevard near the Narrow-gauge railroad station today. There were five bullet wounds in the body and the police believe that Marsh was murdered.

The body was found at the bottom of a bank on the west side of the boulevard, about ten minutes' walk from the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn station.

The motive of the supposed murder is a mystery. There were five bullet wounds in the chest. A sum of money was found on the clothing. There was no evidence of a struggle and there was but little blood on the body.

The police, after viewing the body, expressed the opinion that possibly Marsh had been killed at some other place and that his body had been carried down the boulevard under cover of darkness and placed where it was discovered.

Mr. Marsh, so far as is known, had no enemies. He was prominent in the social and business affairs of this city.

VOTE OF ENGINEERS

Will be in Favor of Strike, it is Said

NEW YORK, April 12.—Six boxes of the ballots cast by the locomotive engineers on as many different eastern railroads had failed to reach New York today and until they are found there will be no announcement of the result of the strike vote recently polled on the five eastern railroads. Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, so declared today. The boxes were sent by express and should have reached New York Wednesday night. Tracers had been sent after the men, Mr. Stone said, and he felt sure that they would be delivered some time during the day.

Returns from 34 railroads had been totaled up to this morning. Some of the leaders declared that indications were that the vote would be heavily in favor of strike.

"This does not mean," Mr. Stone said, "that there will be a strike. The question before the engineers is whether they will authorize their officers.

FAMILY MURDERED

Their Heads Crushed With an Axe

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 12.—Wm. Burton, his wife and two children, and Leon Evers, his brother-in-law, all negroes, were murdered while asleep in their home here early today. The head of each victim appears to have been crushed with an axe and butcher knives were found sticking in all bodies except those of the children.

TAFT'S BROTHER

SAYS THAT THE PRESIDENT WILL BE RE-ELECTED

WASHINGTON, April 12.—C. P. Taft of Cincinnati, a brother of the president, who was a guest of the president at the White House today, gave out the following statement:

"President Taft will receive the nomination and he will be re-elected. Democrats admit he is the only man they fear in November. If the attacks against him were based on the results of his administration or on his conduct in office it might be different but it must be borne in mind that the only real opposition to him is prejudice and appeals to passion, the most dangerous things to the future of the country since the Civil war."

THE BACHELORS

WILL GIVE THEIR ANNUAL SHOW TONIGHT

Never before has such a string of the best vocalists and comedians in the city appeared on the same program, as that which the 20th Century Bachelor club will present tonight, in Association hall. The club will depart from its usual custom of presenting a minstrel overture and give a clever get-up on the life and frivolities of collegians in "College Pranks." The piece is without doubt one of the funniest and cleverest that any local organization has ever produced and is bound to add other laurels to the club. Tickets for the entertainment are going fast and a record crowd is expected. Everything which will add to the comfort of the audience has been attended to, and while the attendance will be a large one there need not be the least fear of anyone being uncomfortable. The box office will be opened at 7 o'clock and any person who has been unable to procure tickets can purchase them at the hall after that hour.

The entertainment will start at 8.15 sharp.

CLARA BARTON

Founder of Red Cross Society Dead

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Miss Clara Barton, founder of the American Red Cross society, died at her home in Glen Echo, Md., at 9 a. m. today. The cause of her death was chronic pneumonia, with which she was stricken about a year ago. Her brother Stephen Barton of Boston was with her when she died. Miss Barton was born at Oxford, Mass., in 1821.

Miss Barton had been confined to her home, "Red Cross" at Glen Echo since last fall when she returned from a visit to New England. It was thought here the trip was beneficial but soon afterward she was taken seriously ill. She celebrated her 90th birthday anniversary Dec. 25 when she received many messages of congratulation from all parts of the world.

JOSEPH CRISTO

Lowell Runner in the Marathon Race

Joseph Cristo, Lowell's famous marathon runner, is completing his training for the Boston Athletic club marathon to be held next Friday. Cristo not only believes he will win the race but is confident that he can clip several minutes off the time of Clarence Demar, who holds the record of 2.22 for the famous sprint. Joe was out with the birds this morning, jaunting along sixteen miles of road, more or less, about the outskirts of Lowell and finishing his canter with a three mile dash around the South common. Many marathon experts, who were on the way to work, were deeply impressed with the mercury-like speed of the local boy and all declared that, should he display the same championship form along the highways from Ashland to Boston, he will surely breast the tape an easy winner over the 150 odd runners who will take part in the famous running classic. Last year, Lowell's marathon champion competed in the B. A. A. race and, finishing with a brilliant sprint, won out against the other Lowell runners entered. In the event of Joe's winning this year, which is not at all unlikely, he, it is said, will enter the professional ranks and issue a challenge to Hans Holmer, Tom Longboat and a few other money chasers to contest for the American championship. If through some unforeseen accident, however, he does not win, he will probably enter the five mile run at the South common on Memorial day. In any event he is sure to be heard from for some time to come, for, win or lose, Joe can never be accused of not being a "comeback."

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MAN KILLED A BOY

Because the Latter Sought to Recover Lost Ball

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 12.—After battering the skull of little Paul Kling into bits with a shovel because he had invaded his garden to hunt for a lost baseball, Ralph Torello took to the woods. A large crowd of volunteer searchers, the entire detective force of the city and bloodhounds are hunting for him.

Torello, who is middle-aged, lives near the ball field in Hamden, where a crowd of youngsters were frolicking. The ball was batted over the fence into his yard, and he called sarcastically to Kling, who had started after it, "You just come in here and get it."

The boy, taking the remark as an invitation to enter the yard and get the ball, dashed inside the gate. Torello picked up a shovel and sent it crashing down upon the lad's head. He was about to repeat the blow upon the unconscious form of the boy stretched at his feet, when his wife wrested the shovel from his grasp.

Members of the juvenile nine, catching sight of the senseless form of their comrade, dashed for Torello, who leaped over a back fence and escaped.

The Kling boy was taken to the hospital, where he died without recovering consciousness. An autopsy was held, which showed that his skull was badly fractured and that several pieces of bone had been driven into his brain by the blow.

A reward of $100 has been issued by the Hamden town officials for Torello's arrest.

THEY VOTED TO STRIKE

Engineers Decide to Quit Work Unless Demands Are Granted

NEW YORK, April 12.—By a majority of more than 23,000 out of 200,000 votes cast locomotive engineers on 50 railroads east of Chicago and north of the Norfolk & Western have authorized their officers to call a strike should further negotiations with the railroads for increased pay fail. The count of the vote was completed at noon today and the result made known immediately by Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, to J. C. Stuart, chairman of the General Managers Association of the Railroads. The general managers have called a meeting to be held here April 15 to consider the result of the vote. The engineers' officers have notified Mr. Stuart that they would remain here for a reasonable time to await a counter proposition of the railroads. The original demands of the engineers for increase in pay aggregating 15 per cent. were recently rejected by the roads.

Mr. Stone declared that he did not wish to comment upon the result. "It speaks for itself," he said. "The next move is up to the railroads."

"If the railroads do not make a counter proposition, will you call a strike?" he was asked.

"That is not a fair question at this time," he replied. "I cannot answer it now."

As soon as the result was reached Mr. Stone wrote a letter to Mr. Stuart despatching it to him by special messenger. While no formal vote was taken on the matter the engineers will probably remain here until April 6 awaiting further word from the railroads.

A representative of the General Managers association said this afternoon that no formal call had been issued for the meeting which is scheduled for April 15, and that a meeting might be held either prior or subsequent to that date. Mr. Stuart had nothing to say concerning the result of the vote, further than that he would place before his colleagues.

ARMED MEXICANS

Sent to Reinforce the Garrisons

NOGALES, Ariz., April 12.—Three hundred Mexicans, fully armed and equipped, arrived in Nogales, Sonora, from Hermosilla yesterday and were sent to reinforce the Agua Prieta and Naco garrisons. Nogales, Sonora, across the border from Nogales, Ariz., will, it is stated, be the federal base of supplies.

Many volunteers are joining the federals forces in an effort to crush any attempt to carry the rebellion into the state of Sonora, where the sentiment is for peace.

CHILD SWIMMER

Will Attempt to Cross Lake Mascuppic

Little Arthur Remillard, aged 28 months, the well known little swimmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Remillard, of 93 Worthen st. is preparing for a swim across Lake Mascuppic. The little chap is now handicapped by a bad cold which he probably caught a few days ago when he swam across the Merrimack river above the falls.

The child is a born swimmer and his stunts last summer opened the eyes of many who could not believe a little one who at that time was about 18 months old, could perform such aquatic stunts. The little fellow swam 45 yards at that time and dived into six feet of water. He is well developed for his age and his muscles are very powerful for his size, so much so that his father did not hesitate a minute a few days ago to have him attempt to cross the Merrimack river above the falls.

Little Arthur did not find the water very cold, and swam as though the temperature had been 80 degrees. The father followed him in a boat, but his services were not required.

On May 30th, Arthur will attempt to cross Lake Mascuppic from Mountain Rock to Willow Dale, and his father is very confident he will swim successfully. The boy who speaks a few words is daily crying and begging his mother to put him in the bath tub. His delight is to be in the water and once in he refuses to come out no matter how cold the water may be.

ACTION OF TORT

An attachment in the sum of $10,000 was recorded at the registry of deeds office late yesterday afternoon against Theodore Kaperdas by Victoria Keirnan, in action of tort.

GABY DESLYS' BEAUTIFUL HAIR

While Gaby Deslys was charming the theatre-goers of New York, her beautiful hair, with its bright, silken sheen, was the source of constant admiration. This delightful actress explained that the beauty and remarkable luster of her hair was due largely to her scalp being kept perfectly clean, as only from a clean, healthy scalp can beautiful hair grow.

A mistake most women make is in shampooing with soap. It does not cleanse the scalp thoroughly and the alkali dulls the hair, destroying whatever brilliance it may have. If one will shampoo with a teaspoonful of canthrox dissolved in a cup of hot water, the scalp will be immaculately clean and the hair will take on that wonderful luster and fluffiness which has imparted such a charm to Gaby Deslys.

CITY OF LOWELL

No. 124 C. V. April 12, 1912.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Jeremiah Bailey, Catherine Bailey, Bailey & Co., have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the first class as Common Victuallers, at Nos. 7-11 Whipple street and bulkhead in rear of said 7-11 Whipple street, in four rooms on first floor; liquor to be kept, but not sold, in cellar.

By order of the License Commission,
JOHN J. MULLANEY, Chairman.

Milady's Toilet Table

By Mme. D'MILLE

Many women whose upper lips and cheeks are free from that downy growth that humiliates some women feel embarrassed wearing short sleeves, because of hair on the forearms. Superfluous hairs are easily and quickly removed by applying delatone paste. Mix enough powdered delatone with water to cover the hairy surface; apply, and after two or three minutes rub off, wash the skin, and the hairs will be gone.

Nine times out of ten when a woman looks old before her time she has neglected her complexion. Dissolve in a half pint of witch hazel an original package of mayatone and gently rub a little on face, neck and arms, and you will be delighted with results. Use this daily instead of powder or other cosmetics and the skin will be smooth, soft and satinlike. Mayatone preserves and restores youthful loveliness of skin.

When a woman does not care to risk catching cold washing her head she can get splendid results by dry shampooing. Put a cupful of corn meal (or four ounces of powdered orris root) in a fruit jar, add the contents of a small original package of therox and shake well together. Sprinkle a little on the head and brush thoroughly. Therox encourages the growth of hair and makes it beautifully lustrous, glossy and fluffy.

No toilet table is complete without a jar of Mother's Salve. It is a sovereign remedy for chaps, cold sores, pimples, eczema and skin eruptions. It heals cuts, burns, scalds and long-standing sores. It is antiseptic as well as healing and lessens danger of blood poisoning.

Girls' Coats and Dresses

With our enlarged quarters we are showing an extensive stock of these Chic Styles in Coats and Dresses, sizes 6 to 14. Visit this dept. today.

Special Prices

$5 Serge Coats at $3.98

Sailor collar styles, all wool serge, tan, navy and brown.

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In percale and gingham, 25 styles, all $1.50 styles at $1.00.

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In a varied assortment, all reduced for this sale, $2.00.

We Clothe the Growing Girl at less than cost of goods to you

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Important Wall Paper Notice

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To one of the large down town business rooms (location to be announced later) in order to enable us to enlarge our wholesale business, that we can make our New Wholesale House distributing headquarters for all New England and our New England stores.

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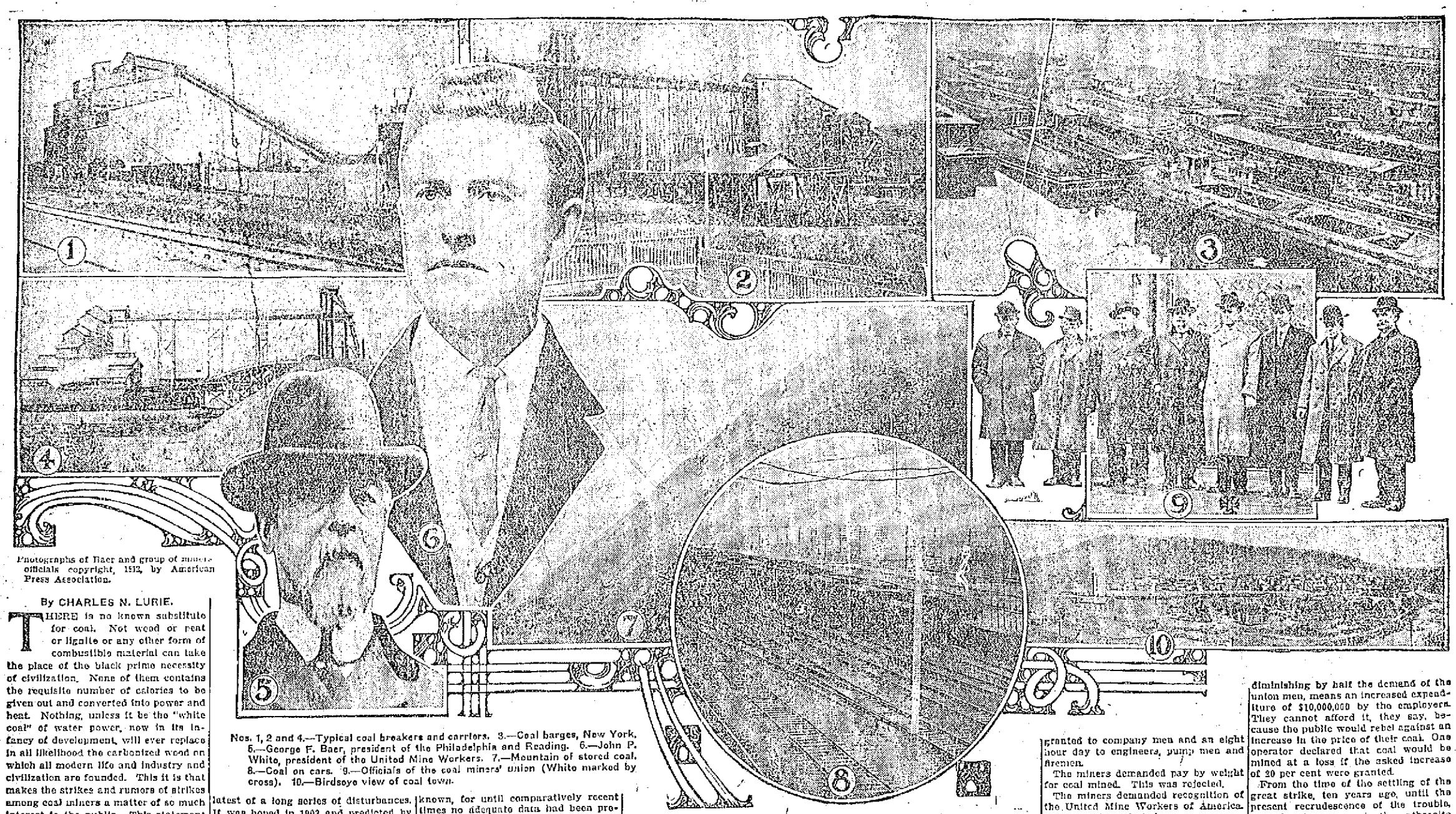
COAL TRADE'S STORMY HISTORY



Photographs of Baer and group of miners' officials copyright, 1912, by American Press Association.

Nos. 1, 2 and 4.—Typical coal breakers and carriers. 3.—Coal barges, New York. 5.—George F. Baer, president of the Philadelphia and Reading. 6.—John P. White, president of the United Mine Workers. 7.—Mountain of stored coal. 8.—Coal on cars. 9.—Officials of the coal miners' union (White marked by cross). 10.—Birdseye view of coal town.

By CHARLES N. LURIE.

THERE is no known substitute for coal. Not wood or peat or lignite or any other form of combustible material can take the place of the black prime necessity of civilization. None of them contains the requisite number of calories to be given out and converted into power and heat. Nothing, unless it be the "white coal" of water power, now in its infancy of development, will ever replace in all likelihood the carbonized wood on which all modern life and industry and civilization are founded. This it is that makes the strikes and rumors of strikes among coal miners a matter of so much interest to the public. This statement does not take into account the vast coal industry itself, in which so many men and so much capital are engaged.

Probably to a greater extent than in the case of any other industry the public is an interested and deeply affected third party whenever the disagreements between mine workers and mine owners cause or threaten a stoppage of the digging and marketing of coal. It was this factor which lent authority to President Roosevelt to intervene in the coal strike of 1902, which was settled by means of his commission.

Many Upheavals in the Past.

This year's difference between the workers and their employers is only the latest of a long series of disturbances. It was hoped in 1903 and predicted by the optimist that it would be the last, but it seems that that was not to be. So frequent in the olden days were strikes and lockouts in the coal regions that it seemed as though war and not peace was the normal condition among the shafts and breakers and carriers in which the coal is manipulated before it reaches the cars and boats which take it to the consumer. As a recent writer put it, "There were occasional years between 1849 and 1902 when quiet prevailed for the most part throughout the region, but as a general thing disputes, threats and strikes occurred in one locality or another. How many hundreds or thousands of such strikes took place will never be known, for until comparatively recent times no adequate data had been preserved."

Demands of the Miners.

These are this year's demands of the miners, submitted to the operators in recent conferences:

Twenty per cent increase in wages.
Recognition of the union.
An eight hour day.
A one year contract.
A minimum daily wage of $3.50 for miners, $2.75 for laborers.
No interference with check weighmen and check docking bosses.
Payment by the ton and not by the carload.
Abandonment of the conciliation board.
That the operators collect union dues from the miners. (This is called illegal by the operators.)

At the New York conference between the operators, headed by George F. Baer, president of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, the Philadelphia and Reading Railway company and the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company, and the miners, represented by John P. White, president of the United Mine Workers of America, and others, these demands were rejected. The operators suggested the advisability of renewing the present agreement for three years without change, but to this the men would not agree. And so the matter rested.

The Agreement of Ten Years Ago.

The agreement under which the anthracite (hard coal) trade is now carried on is that which was made between the miners and the operators as a result of the labors of the Roosevelt strike commission. At that time the four main questions at issue and the decision concerning them were as follows:

The miners demanded an advance of 20 per cent in rates of pay for contract mine workers. An advance of 10 per cent was granted.

The miners demanded an eight hour day for employees paid by the hour, day or week. A nine hour day was granted to company men and an eight hour day to engineers, pump men and firemen.

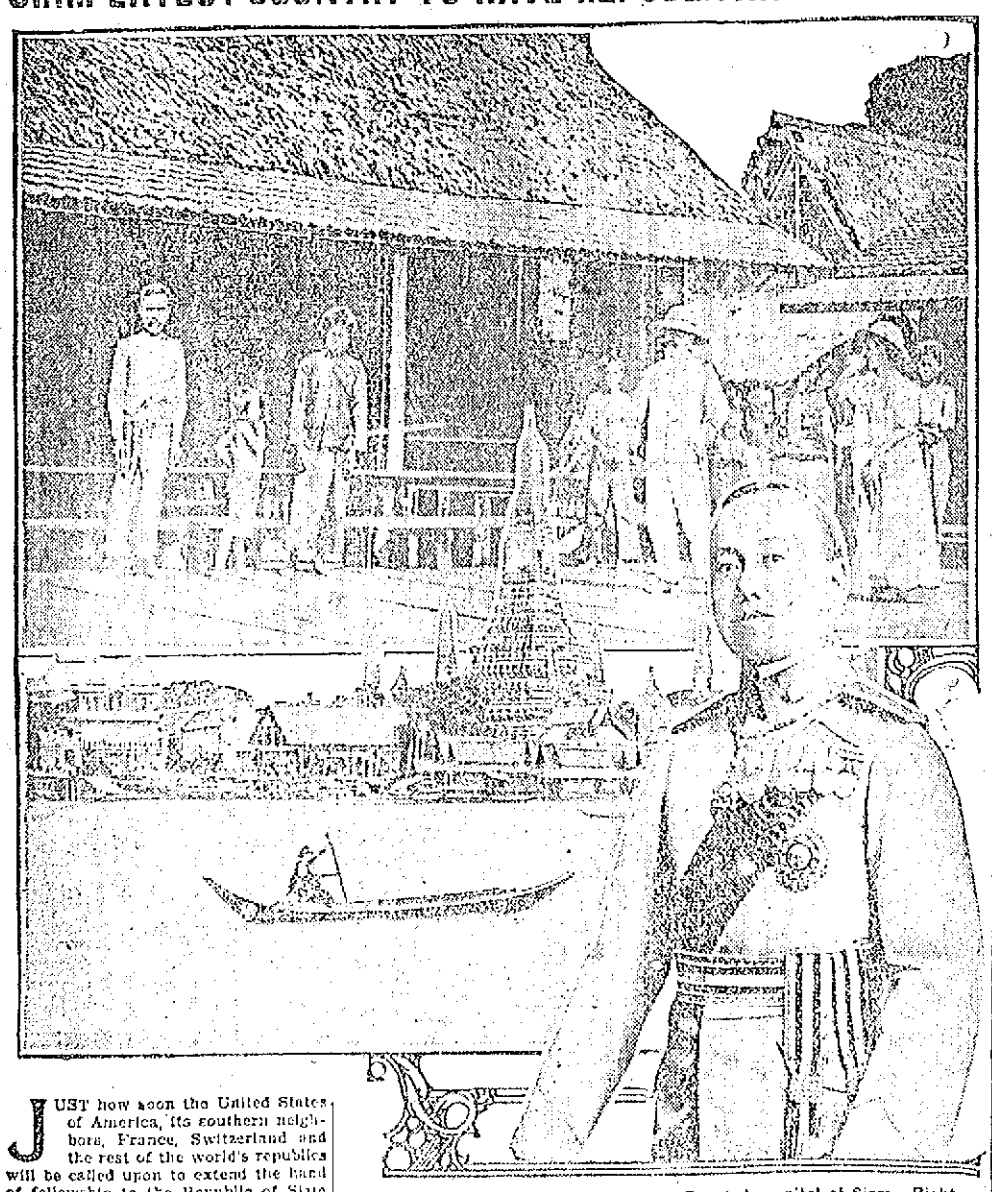
The miners demanded pay by weight for coal mined. This was rejected.

The miners demanded recognition of the United Mine Workers of America. This was also rejected.

The operators this year have expressed their willingness to make another three year agreement with their men on the old basis, but this has been rejected by the miners. The latter assert that under the present scale the average wage paid is $543.88 and say that miners raising large families cannot live upon that sum. The cost of living, that scapegoat upon which so many burdens are cast nowadays, is brought in again to justify the demands of the men for increases. It is used by the miners in support of their demand, and it is paraded before the public by the operators, who say that even a 10 per cent increase of wages, diminishing by half the demand of the union men, means an increased expenditure of $10,000,000 by the employers. They cannot afford it, they say, because the public would rebel against an increase in the price of their coal. One operator declared that coal would be mined at a loss if the asked increase of 20 per cent were granted.

From the time of the settling of the great strike, ten years ago, until the present recrudescence of the trouble, there has been peace in the anthracite regions. There would be peace there still, say the operators, were it not for the co-operation of the bituminous workers, much more numerous, with their hard coal brethren. Their contention is that they should not be called upon to do anything which would tend to strengthen the United Mine Workers, since the latter is a soft coal region product, and between the soft coal operators and the hard coal mine owners there is the bar of competition. Naturally the men retort with the claim of a common cause among the coal workers without regard to the hardness or softness of the thing they help to produce.

SIAM LATEST COUNTRY TO HAVE REPUBLICAN YEARNINGS



Upper—Native house in Siam. Lower—Bangkok, capital of Siam. Right—King of Siam.

JUST how soon the United States of America, its southern neighbors, France, Switzerland and the rest of the world's republics will be called upon to extend the hand of fellowship to the Republic of Siam cannot of course be told with accuracy, but the report that the ancient country in the southeastern corner of Asia is contemplating handing his crown to its young king, Maha Vajiravudh, with the remark: "Here's your hat. What's your hurry?" has aroused interest in all the lands blessed with popular rule. It seemed to indicate that the writhings toward freedom of the Chinese dragon had communicated themselves to the rest of the world's biggest continent. With China and Siam as republics, Persia struggling toward constitutional freedom and India restless under British rule, monarchism in Asia might well feel uneasy.

Unless Americans have had their attention directed especially toward Siam they know little or nothing about the country. They have a faint recollection that either the present king or his father, Chulalongkorn, who died in 1910, visited this country and left us with the usual words of praise for our enterprise and hospitality. But trade between the United States and Siam is small, and it is off the main traveled roads of tourists, so that Americans either do not know or forget that there are about 10,000,000 Siamese rapidly advancing in civilization with an aggregate amount of trade which is worth reaching out for instead of leaving to the British, the Chinese and others.

In international affairs Siam plays the precarious, uncertain and unenviable role of buffer state. It lies between French Indo-China on the east and British Burma on the west, and both Great Britain and France have cast envious eyes upon it. But the late Chulalongkorn was a man of energy and statesmanlike abilities, and the new king, who is thirty-one years old, is following in his footsteps in the matter of working hard to keep his country from the hands of foreigners. No longer ago than 1909 Siam ceded to Great Britain important parts of its territory into which British influence had been extended.

In 1907 Siam ceded to France certain regions adjoining Cambodia, 7,800 square miles in area and containing a population of about 200,000. In return France restored to Siam the port of Krat and the Dansai region in Laos, in the north of Siam.

Siam is a country rich in agricultural possibilities and in minerals, but its growth in importance has been retarded by the unwillingness of its people of aboriginal stock, mingled with Chinese, Malays, Hindus and other races, to exert themselves. They are naturally indolent and have left the development of their trade largely to the Chinese. The climate is tropical and subtropical and not healthful to Europeans because of its humidity. The people are generally Buddhists and peaceable and pleasure loving. Missionaries have been at work in Siam for many years, but have not succeeded in converting large bodies of the natives. Education has been primitive until recent years, when the influence of the late king, a liberal minded and well informed man with almost absolute power, helped greatly in the establishment of schools.

The present king was educated in England and has traveled extensively. He visited the United States in 1902. King Maha Vajiravudh is unmarried, although it was reported some years ago that he would be united to a daughter of the imperial house of Japan. His heir is one of his brothers, of whom there are many. Several years ago the world was amused by the publication of an English photograph showing the late king, then alive, at the head of a long line of his sons, all dressed alike in English schoolboy garb. The king himself was clothed in European style.

BERNARD T. ELLIS.

DOG OUGHT TO SHARE HONOR WITH AMUNDSEN AND PEARY

IF there are ever to be monuments to the first living beings to set foot at the north and south poles of the earth they won't be of Peary or Amundsen, the negro or Eskimo companions of the former, or the Norwegian assistants of the latter. On the top of the memorials will be the figures of dogs, rough coated, savage canines. They got to the poles first, in advance of their human companions, and the honors should be theirs.

Both Peary and Amundsen have acknowledged their obligations to the haulers of the sledges which made pole finding possible. The antarctic hero voices his feelings thus, in his copyrighted story of his dash to 90 degrees south:

"I attribute my success to my splendid comrades and to the magnificent work of the dogs, and next to them to our skis."

Speaking of one day's work on his triumphal procession to the pole, with four human companions, four sledges and fifty-two dogs, Amundsen wrote:

"The glacier was very much broken in this comparatively narrow pass. The mighty crevices seemed to stop us from going farther, but it was not so serious as it appeared. Our dogs, which up to this time had covered a distance of about 700 kilometers, the last day's very hard work, ran this day thirty-five kilometers, the ascent being 5,600 feet, an almost incredible record."

Turning to the northern end of the world, we find Nansen, the famous fellow countryman of Amundsen, paying tribute to the polar dogs in the following terms:

"I kept an anxious eye upon the dogs for fear anything should happen to them, also to see that they continued in good condition, for all my hopes centered in them."

In Peary's book, "The North Pole," he pays this tribute to his dogs:

"They are sturdy, magnificent animals. There may be larger dogs than these, there may be handsomer dogs, but I doubt it. Other dogs may work as well or travel as fast and far when fully fed, but there is no dog in the world that can work so long in the lowest temperatures on practically nothing to eat. The male dogs average in weight from eighty to a hundred pounds, though I had one which weighed 125 pounds. The females are somewhat smaller. Their special physical characteristics are a pointed muzzle, great breadth between eyes, sharp pointed ears, very heavy coat underlaid with a thick, soft fur, powerful, heavily muscled legs and a bushy tail or brush similar to that of a fox. There is only one breed of Eskimo dogs, but they are variously marked and of different colors—black, white, gray, yellow, brown and mottled. Some scientists believe that they are direct descendants of the arctic wolf, yet, as a rule, they are as affectionate and obedient to their masters as our own dogs at home. Their food is meat, and meat only. That they cannot live on any other food I know, for I have made the experiment. For water they eat snow.

"The dogs are not housed at any season of the year, but summer and winter they are tied somewhere near the tent or igloo. They are never allowed to roam at large lest they be lost. Sometimes a special pet or a female that has young puppies will be taken into an igloo for a time, but Eskimo puppies only a month old are so hardy that they can stand the severe winter weather."

To these testimonies of men who have had the best of opportunities for observing the Eskimo polar dog in action and in repose may be added many other words of commendation from other explorers for the strength, willingness and endurance of their canine companions. But it should be noted that these words of praise are sometimes tempered by remarks about the propensity of the animals to quarrel, their eagerness to eat anything that comes in their way, including their companions, when hard pressed by hunger, and their other wolfish proclivities.

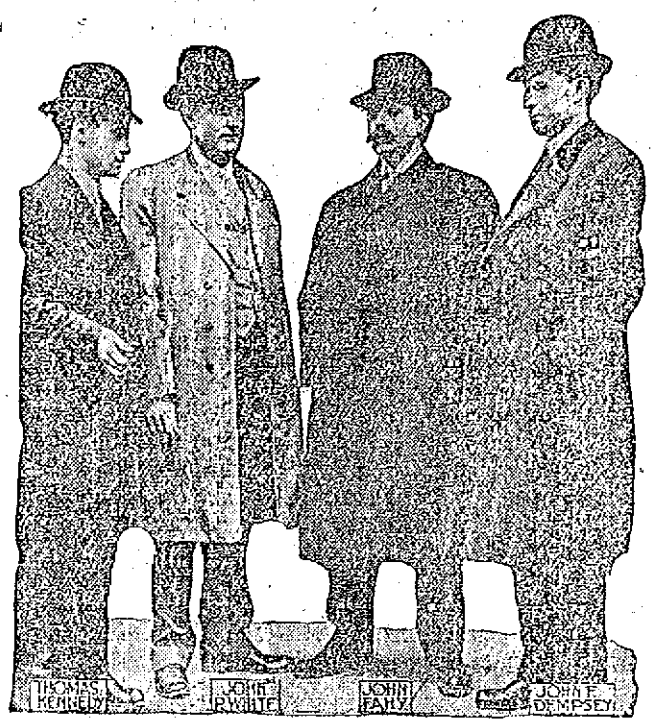
When Amundsen's story was placed before the public a few weeks ago animal lovers were shocked to read that he had repaid the devotion and assistance of his dogs by eating some of them. Of course this was done only in time of need. Of the fifty-two dogs which went with him and his four companions to the pole eleven got back. Not all of the forty-one were eaten, however. Some died of other causes, and three strayed away. "I think what touched us most keenly on the whole journey was the unavoidable killing of dogs which had shared our dangers and had done such splendid work. The killing went to the heart of every one," says the south pole finder.

There are two principal varieties of dog used in polar work. The more popular kind, if the term may be allowed, is the Eskimo dog employed by Peary, Amundsen and other explorers. Nansen's animals were mostly of the white or white and black Samoyede or Siberian breed. They are smaller than the Eskimos and possibly a little less nearly allied to the wolf, from which all dogs have sprung. In recent years attempts have been made to import the Samoyede dogs into England and other countries. They have been found to make good pets in most cases. But the wily Siberian has found that his dog is popular with his civilized brothers and sisters, and he has "boosted" the price accordingly.

A. J. BRINTON.

Two of Peary's Dogs (Insert). Feeding Antarctic Dogs With Dried Fish.

REPRESENTATIVES OF THE MINERS, WHO EXPECT TO MAKE SETTLEMENT



PHILADELPHIA, April 12.—A settlement of the differences between the miners and the operators seems sure as the result of conferences held in this city. The operators modified their refusal to consider the demands made by the United Mine Workers and offered to submit all differences to the anthracite strike commission appointed in 1902 by Theodore Roosevelt for arbitration. The offer was held in abeyance by President John P. White of the mine workers until a subcommittee of the miners and operators can further discuss the nine demands made by the miners. The miners chose the following as their representatives: John P. White, president; John Fahy of Shamokin, president of District No. 1; John T. Dempsey of Scranton, president of District No. 3; Thomas Kennedy of Hazleton, president of District No. 7.

BIG BOMB EXPLODED

In a Taxicab in Paris, Shaking the City

PARIS, April 12.—A bomb exploded inside a taxi auto in the Rue De Lyon this morning. The force of the explosion shook the greater part of the city and wrecked the motor car. The chauffeur and some pedestrians were injured.

The outrage is believed to have been committed by chauffeurs, who are on strike. The taxi was passing along the Rue De Lyon from the Place De La Bastille to the great railroad depot of the Lyons line. Many windows in the vicinity were smashed.

THE FIRE DEPT.

WAS KEPT QUITE BUSY YESTERDAY

The fire department was kept busy answering alarms yesterday, but none of the fires was of a serious nature.

At 1.50 o'clock in the afternoon a portion of the department was called to Florence avenue to extinguish a grass fire.

Shortly after four o'clock a brush fire broke out in the woods of the Livingston estate in Princeton street. The fire was extinguished before any material damage had been done.

A wire on a tree at the corner of Wannalancit and Pawtucket streets sputtered last night and a telephone alarm was sent to the fire department. No damage resulted.

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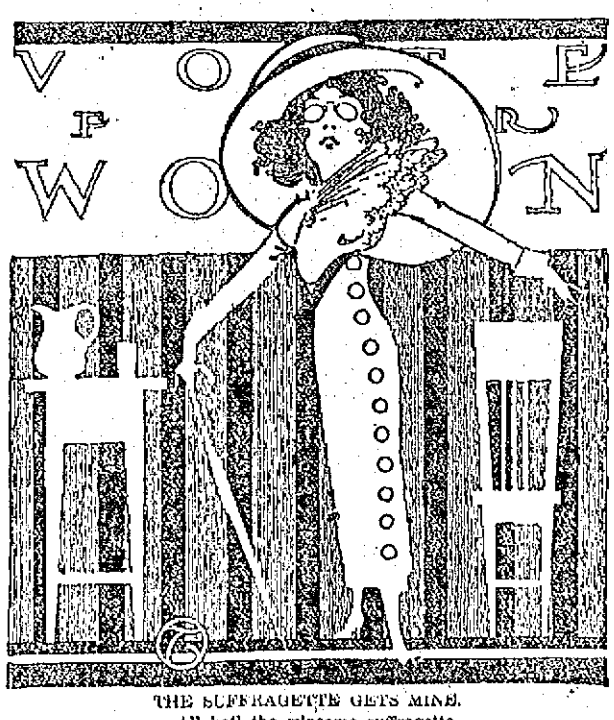
THE SUN'S DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE

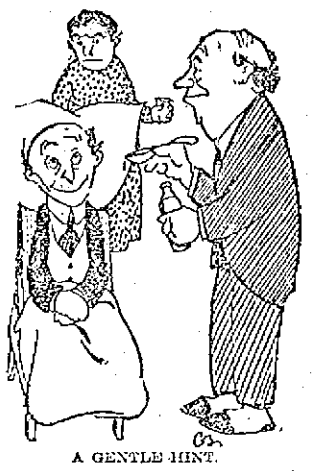


THE SUFFRAGETTE GETS MINE.
All hail the winsome suffragette,
On her I fairly dote.
When woman runs for office,
She's sure to get my—goat.

Where is a voter?

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE.
Upside down, under right arm.

A LITTLE NONSENSE



A GENTLE HINT.

Dr. Endee—Your husband needs a rest. I recommend a two-months' tour of Europe.

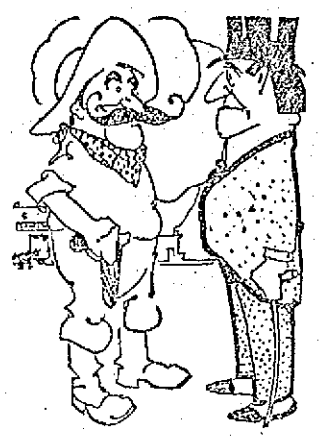
Mrs. Nagger—Fine! We'll leave next week.

Dr. Endee—Pardon me, but you misunderstood. He must go alone—I said he needed a rest.

HOW MEAN.

Librettist—What do you think of my new musical comedy?

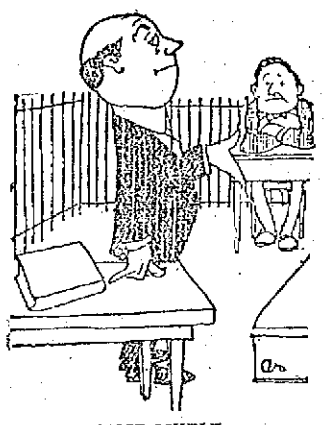
Critic—Beautiful. Who designed those lovely chorus dresses?



FAVORITE DIET.

Star—You have terribly rough audiences. Last night I was egged.

House Manager—Yep. Ham an' eggs is a popular dish out here.



MOST LIKELY.

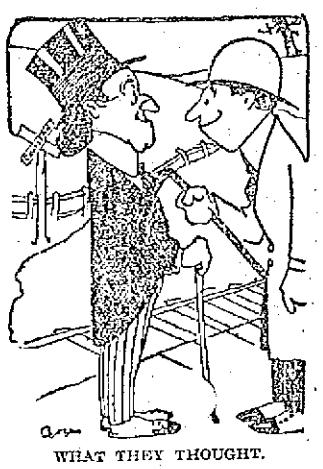
First Lawyer—Your Honor, I wish my client were here instead of lying in bed.

Second Lawyer—He is better lying in bed than lying here.

WHAT HE UNDERSTOOD.

Lawyer—So you want to get a divorce from your wife, eh? Aren't your relations pleasant?

Client—Mine are, but it's hers that do all the kicking.



WHAT THEY THOUGHT.

"The actors were tired out and disgusted from rehearsing the play Scribble wrote."

"What did they say of the production?"

"Said it was all work and no play."

LOST AND FOUND

BLACK VELVET BAG CONTAINING gun metal mesh purse and black leather purse lost Friday morning on South common, Union, Linden or Centre sts. Reward to finder at 25 Centre st.

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Fourth—Its low price, but not cheap property.
Fifth—Freeness from city smoke, dust, noise, etc., and many other advantages that I have not enough room to tell about, but come and see us and we will tell them to you.
If you cannot call in the daytime call in the evening. Our office is open Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday evenings until 9.
But don't forget the opening sale Saturday, April 13, 1912, at 2 P. M.
We also have house lots in other sections of the city, namely: "Lowell Highlands"—land around the Highland club house, Oaklands, as well as all parts of the city.
If you wish to buy a house ready built we have a large list of most desirable homes or investment properties, and if what you want is not on our list we will find it for you.
"Your Satisfaction Is Our Success"
Eugene G. Russell
Real Estate and Insurance
407 Middlesex Street, Near Depot

TO LET

DO YOU WISH TO REDUCE RENT expense? We have several tenements to let, renting from $1.50 to $1.75 per week; well located; handy to the mills. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET; GAS and bath. $1 per week up. Mrs. McMillan, Gallagher House, William st.

GOOD FOUR-ROOM TENEMENT to let at $5 a month, with privilege of garden. Inquire at 35 Varnum ave.

LARGE DOUBLE HOUSE TO LET, April 15th, 815-819 Merrimack st. Good repair. Rent reasonable. Inquire of C. A. Richardson at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

FOUR-TENEMENT BLOCK ON SLADEN st., for sale; 11 tenement block in Belvidere, building lot on corner of Victoria and Chelmsford sts. Number of two-tenement houses and cottages in all parts of the city. Inquire of John McMenamin, 212 Merrimack st.

NICE DOUBLE COTTAGE ON Alder st., to let; 8-room tenement on Stackpole st.; 4 room tenement on Perry st.; 5 room tenement on Fremont st. Inquire of John McMenamin, 212 Merrimack st.

LARGE DOWNSTAIRS FRONT rooms to let; modern conveniences. Inquire at 583 Central st.

SPECIAL NOTICES

HORSES AND DOGS CLIPPED BY power. Sennett Bros., 18 Rock st.

HENRY E. REED & CO., LANDscape gardeners. Estimates on large or small jobs. Tel. 3378-1. 30 Jacques st., Lowell.

NOW IS THE TIME OF YEAR TO burn wood. I always have a good supply of cord wood of all kinds for sale. A. A. Brown, 73 Inland st. Tel. 2320.

LADIES' AND GENTS' CLOTHING cleaned and pressed scientifically, at moderate rates. Frank Gorelink, 55 Willie st., opposite Brady's saloon, 140 Chelmsford st.

PAPER HANGING, PAINTING AND whitewashing. Rooms papered $1.50 up, including paper. Painting $1.25 up. Ceilings whitewashed, 25c up. Work guaranteed. John J. Hayden & Sons, 23 Cady st.

BENT'S NO. 1 KILLS LICE ON children. Excellent for browntail moth itching, ivy poison, hives, mange, salt rheum, falling hair. 25 cents at Falls & Burkinshaw's.

LUBURG CO., CHIMNEY EXPERTS —Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge st. Tel. 945.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—THE SUN IS on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

MISCELLANEOUS

SECOND HAND BICYCLES AND furniture of all kinds. A. S. Edwards, 531 Dutton st. Tel. 1976-5.

COUNTRY BUTTER—ONE PINT of milk makes one pound of butter with our machine. Come and see it. 9 Phil st.

DRINK GLORIA FOR HEALTH. Sold everywhere.

Rooms Papered for $2
We will furnish the wall paper and border to match and send first class paper hanger to hang the same for $2 per room. Free samples of wall paper on request. Painting in all its branches, and whitewashing.
BAKER'S The New Racket
303 Middlesex St. 610 Merrimack St.
Telephone 2404

WOOD! WOOD! WOOD!
Now is the season to burn wood. I have 3000 cords of dry seasoned wood of all kinds ready for immediate delivery. Price from $3 per cord up to $6. No order too large. JOHN Brady, 155 Church St. Tel. 375.

Furs Cleaned
Furs should be cleaned at least once each year to remove the dust that accumulates while wearing them. Our storage includes scientific cleaning. Furs called for and delivered.
ROSE G. CAISSE
Tel. 1723 53 Central St.

TO LET

COTTAGE OF SEVEN ROOMS TO let, in good locality, near schools and churches. Inquire 12 Sixth ave.

SIX NEW COTTAGES WITH BATH, steam heat, hot and cold water to let, in Lilley avenue and Dalton street, Centralville, near mills. These cottages have only recently been completed and have never been occupied. Rent reasonable. Inquire 870 Lakeview avenue or at West Sixth street fire house.

6-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET AT 12 Cady st.

AN EXCELLENT 4-ROOM TENEMENT to let to a small family of adults, who do not smoke tobacco, with closet on floor and furnace in large cellar; front block, under me, at 79 Chestnut st. George E. Brown.

ROOM TO RENT—NICE SUNNY front room, steam heat, fine location, private house, rent reasonable to right party; gentlemen only. Address H., Sun Office.

4-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET AT 44 Mead st. Apply 48 Mead st.

THREE FLATS, 5 ROOMS, TO LET at 14 and 46 Elm st. 3 flats, 5 rooms, rear 81 Chapel st. 2 flats, 4 rooms, 147 Cushing st., $1.50 a week. 1 tenement, 46 Prospect st. 7 rooms, all fixed up new, and cheap rent. Inquire Joe Flynn, 71 Chapel st.

TENEMENT OF 4 ROOMS TO LET at 31 Gorham st., opposite post office. Inquire on premises.

UPSTAIRS TENEMENT OF SEVEN rooms, to let; bath, pantry, hot and cold water. 11 Floyd st.

LARGE FURNISHED ROOM IN private family, to let; all modern conveniences; home accommodations; meals if desired. 59 Sixth st. Tel. 1554-3.

MODERN APARTMENT TO LET; 6 rooms, bath, hot and cold water, furnace heat, set tubs. Inquire 345 Walker st.

TENEMENT TO LET AT 930 CENTral st. 6 rooms and bath, all in O. K. shape. Rent $11. Inquire at 506 Gorham st. Tenement to let at 508 Gorham st. Rent $9.

NICE 6-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET; gas, electric light, hot and cold water, furnace heat, rent $13 a month. 48 Iana st., Centralville.

PLEASANT, SUNNY 6-ROOM TENEement, to let; gas, etc.; handy to the mills, rent low, No. 26 Fulton st., Centralville. Apply 276 Westford st.

7-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET; HOT water, bath furnace heat, $.27 at 44 Schafer st. Apply Schutz Furniture Co., 332 Middlesex st.

TENEMENT OF FIVE ROOMS TO let at 66 Chambers st. Rent reasonable. Apply on premises or 33 North street.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET; ALSO rooms for light housekeeping. Apply Horsman House, 237 Central st.

5-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET; $3; also 4-rooms, $1.75 per week; 6 minutes' walk from post office. Inquire Room 13, Central block.

TENEMENT OF 7 ROOMS TO LET; hot and cold water; set tubs; hot water heat; 5 minutes' walk from square. Apply 133 Stackpole st.

6-ROOM TENEMENTS TO LET; COR. Agawam and Griffin sts. Just been remodeled; up to date; $2.50 and $2.75 per week. Inquire of Greenwood Bros. or O. O. Greenwood, 130 Hale st. Tel. 3515-1 or 835-13.

STORE AND 3-ROOM TENEMENT to let at 363 Lawrence st. Rent $2.00. Inquire at 321 Lawrence st.

SUNNY 7-ROOM TENEMENT TO let, near Coral st. and Westford st.; $15 per month. Apply Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st.

4500 FEET OF FLOOR SPACE, SUITable for paint shop, carpenter shop or for storage, to let, on Middlesex st., over the Maxwell-Mackenzie garage, 328 to 336 Middlesex st. Apply Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st.

BARN NEAR DEPOT, TO LET; 3 stalls and ample carriage room. Apply Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex street.

TO LET
House of 10 rooms in Belvidere. Hot and cold water, gas and bath. Rent low.
—APPLY—
468 CENTRAL ST.

FOR SALE
Real estate in all parts of the city on easy terms.
—APPLY—
468 CENTRAL ST.

HELP WANTED

EXPERIENCED TRIMMER WANTed for factory work. Also experienced makers. Apply 151 Middle, st., top floor.

GOOD COAT MAKER, PANTS MAKer, or vest maker wanted; also repairing and pressing clothes; steady work and good pay to the right man. Call at once. 325 Market st. Tel. 2942-4.

COMPETENT WELL KNOWN MAN wanted to take charge of store and to take orders outside part of the time. State age, occupation; if married. Salary no object to right man. A. B. C., Sun Office.

FIVE RELIABLE UNION PAPER hangers wanted at once. Apply 8.30 o'clock mornings. Wall Paper Dept., Nelson's Dept. Store.

EXPERIENCED DRESSMAKER Wanted. Apply S. Goldman, 183 Dutton st., cor. Market st.

STENOGRAPHER AND TYPEWRITer wanted. A young lady experienced and competent, who also has a knowledge of bookkeeping, to fill position in the office of a well-known local business house. In answering advertisement state experience, salary expected and give references. Address E. A. W., Sun Office.

LADY OR GIRL WANTED EACH town, good pay spare time, copy names for advertisers, cash weekly. 12 cents for outfit. Dept. C, American Adv. Bureau, Leightons Corners, N. H.

MEN WANTED TO BECOME RAILway mail clerks. $90.00 month. May examinations in Lowell. Sample questions and coaching free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 159 O., Rochester, N. Y.

WORSTED COMB AND CARD ROOM hands wanted for night work. Apply Hillsborough Mills, Wilton, N. H.

FOR WOMEN ONLY—MARRIED ladies, widows, earn good salary. Promotion and field manager position to earnest workers. Write for territory. Sanitary Instrument Co., Meadville, Pa.

WORSTED DRAWING ROOM HELP wanted. Worsted twisters and spinners. Apply Hillsborough Mills, Wilton, N. H.

MEN WANTED TO LEARN THE automobile business; road driving and repairing. Send stamp for particulars. New England Auto School, 609 Tremont st., Boston, Mass.

MEN AND WOMEN
ARE YOU MAKING LESS THAN $25 PER WEEK? Do you want to make that or more? Then write Dept. L., Box 1535, Boston, about yourself.

Wanted—Girls
To work on worsted, winding, mending and spooling; also apprentices wanted. Haffner Employment Bureau, 77 Franklin st., Lawrence, Mass.

WANTED
Loopers to work on lisle hosiery, 22 point machine, steady work. Address Hartford Knitting Co., Hartford, Conn.

Barber Wanted
For Saturday at 235 Middlesex Street.

WANTED
DRAWERS AND SPINNERS, ALSO CAP AND FLYER DOFFERS AND DRESSER SPOOLERS
At Brookside Worsted Mills, Brookside, Mass.

WANTED

GOOD SECOND HAND UPRIGHT piano wanted for camp purposes. Address T. T., Sun Office.

CHILDREN WANTED TO BOARD for the summer, in Kenwood. Mrs. E. R. Williams, Huron st.

SPECIAL NOTICE
HOUSE, STORE AND BARN
Fine location for business on a main street. 5 rooms, bath, large lot of land. A snap at
$3000
NEAR AGAWAM STREET
Excellent 9-room house in perfect condition, with steam heat and large yard can be bought at reasonable figure.
NEAR ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH
Splendid 7-room cottage house on large corner lot. Several fruit trees. 3 sleeping rooms. Near cars.
$2300
Abel R. Campbell
417 Middlesex Street, Cor. Thorndike

OFFICE OF SUPPLY DEPARTMENT

Sealed proposals will be received at the Office of the Supply Department, for furnishing and purchasing the following supplies at dates below specified:

Req. 53,794. Chelmsford St. Hospital

1 carload stock hay for cattle.

To be delivered at Chelmsford Street hospital.

April 15, 1912, at 10 a. m.

Req. 53,835. Health Dept.

To sell manure at Health Yard from May 1, 1912, for one year.

There are 40 horses and straw is used for bedding.

April 15, 1912, at 10 a. m.

Req. 53,798. Sewer Dept.

Sewer pipe as per detailed specifications at Supply Office.

Thursday, April 18, 1912, at 11 a. m.

Req. 53,707. Sewer Dept.

Sewer castings as per detailed specifications at Supply Office.

Thursday, April 18, 1912, at 11 a. m.

All bids submitted to be in sealed envelopes, plainly marked on outside kind of material upon which bid is submitted.

EDWARD H. FOYE,
Purchasing Agent.
JAMES E. DONNELLY,
Commissioner of Finance.
Lowell, Mass., April 11, 1912.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FOR SALE

BABY CARRIAGE IN GOOD CONdition for sale. Will be sold cheap if taken at once. Apply 61 Wentworth avenue.

BRASS CORNET AND CASE FOR sale. Price $7. Apply 393 Westford st.

BABY CARRIAGE ALMOST NEW, very cheap, if sold at once, at No. 57 Stanley st.

THREE POOL TABLES FOR SALE cheap; in good condition. Inquire 77 East Merrimack st.

SINGLE COMB WHITE LEGHORNS (Scott's strain), 50c and 75c setting, none better. Cockerels, Single Comb Black Minorcas, fit to win any competition; imported English stock. Robert Scott, 102 Epping st., Wigginville.

FRENCH MANTEL CLOCK FOR sale; black marble case, case O. K. and movement guaranteed; good as new; cost $35; sell $10 cash. R. J. Q., 711 Central st.

BAKERS' OVEN ON EASY PAYments. Second hand ovens taken in exchange. Write for catalogue and prices. Dept. A. McDowell Oven Co., 156 State st., Boston, Mass.

CARRYALL, GODDARD BUGGY AND two driving harnesses, for sale; all in good condition. Apply at 31 Walker st. Telephone 3552-1.

NEW BICYCLES FOR SALE, $18 up. P. Keegan, 235 Moody st.

ROLLER CANARIES FOR SALE. Males and females. 102 Cross st.

MILK WAGON FOR SALE CHEAP, for single or two horse hitch. Inquire A. A. Brown, 73 Inland st. Tel. 2320.

Do You Want an ELEVATOR?
We have a dandy for sale. Come and look at it. Inquire at The Sun Office.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY FOR SALARIED PEOPLE—Women keeping house and others, advanced them without security, easy payments, cheapest rates. Don't worry or annoy friends about money, keep your credit good by paying as you agree. I will furnish you money to do it. D. H. Tolman, Room 103, 45 Merrimack st.

LOANS of $10 and Upwards
Can be secured at less than the legal rate of interest by obtaining our indorsement of your note.
AMERICAN Guaranty Co.
45 MERRIMACK STREET.
ROOMS 319-320
Open 8 a. m. to 6.30 p. m.; Mon. and Saturday 9 p. m.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

COTTAGE HOUSE FOR SALE. INquire 28 Varney st.

7-ROOM COTTAGE FOR SALE. ¾ of an acre of land, barn and hen house. Lot of young fruit trees. Convenient to a number of public works, at 86 Swan st., off Boston road. J. W. Marshall.

FOR SALE
In Chelmsford Centre, nice place for small money.
Must be sold at once, 100 acre farm, with good building, large orchard, good land. Price $3000.
Near Beacon street, 8-room house with all improvements, large lot of land. Price $2600.
3 miles from Lowell, 35 acre farm with good building, lots of wood and timber. This can be bought at a bargain.
In Billerica 28 acre farm, good building, lots of hen houses for 500 hens. Lots of fruit. Price $3500.
In North Chelmsford, a nice place for small money.
G. L. HUBBARD,
26 Runels Building. Tel. 2103

NOTICE
We are now open at 92 Gorham street, near post office, the store just vacated by the Ostroff & Sousa Co., who have moved across the street. A premium and furniture store. The only store of its kind north of Boston. We will trade in Green Trading stamps, tobacco tags, soap wrappers, Mother's Oats coupons, and will carry a sample line of first class furniture manufactured by the best furniture mills in the east.
CARR'S, 92 Gorham St
NEAR POST OFFICE
On your way to the market just drop in and see the drop head sewing machines we sell for $15. Remember the place. CARR'S, Near Post Office.

POST EASTER PHOTOS
Great reduction in prices. Cabinet photos, $1, $1.50 and $2 per dozen. We also make post cards, 75c per dozen. All work guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. J. Champlin, Photo Artist, 737 Aiken st., cor. Lakeview ave., Lowell, Mass.

Farm near Canobie Lake, 15 acres, good soil, 7-room house, pantry, shed, hen house, carriage house, barn, 32x65, all in good condition. 5 minutes' walk to depot; 1 mile to electrics. A bargain at $2200, $500 cash, balance at 5 per cent interest.
W. E. DODGE
22 Central Street

City, Village and Country Property, Investments, Hotels, Etc.
C. W. Johnson & Son
Houghton, Plain and Parker Sts.
Phone 3030

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV. To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.43	6.50	6.14	7.12
a6.25	7.41	7.24	8.27
6.43	7.30	7.55	8.43
b6.40	7.53	b8.21	9.27
7.00	8.00	9.00	9.57
7.21	8.05	10.00	10.56
e7.31	8.47	11.30	12.01
7.58	8.35	12.30	1.07
8.65	9.28	1.00	1.57
b9.13	10.25	2.00	2.54
9.45	10.28	3.00	3.54
10.02	11.12	b3.51	5.02
10.49	11.37	4.00	4.56
12.13	1.00	e4.14	5.32
1.47	2.25	5.00	5.37
2.34	3.27	b5.21	6.20
3.57	4.45	6.27	6.15
4.32	5.21	b5.51	7.01
5.28	6.20	e5.14	7.32
b6.11	7.14	7.50	8.08
6.17	7.00	8.30	9.05
7.21	8.00	10.23	11.88
9.45	10.30	11.17	12.15

WESTERN DIV. To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.45	7.28	x8.55	6.10
5.05	9.10	9.24	10.51
10.10	11.19	10.35	11.34
10.05	12.00	11.50	12.54
12.02	1.10	2.14	3.22
e1.50	2.35	3.35	4.45
5.17	6.25	6.14	6.10
7.09	8.00	6.03	7.04
10.08	11.12	6.35	7.46
		9.50	10.55

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.09	1.00
5.20	6.00	2.14	2.23
6.45	7.09	3.30	4.31
8.50	10.02	5.20	6.58
		8.10	9.42

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.48	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.21	8.05	10.00	10.56
7.55	8.39	11.50	12.01
8.48	9.49	1.00	1.52
9.20	10.12	5.01	6.02
10.23	11.24	7.30	8.05
2.03	2.45	8.30	9.05
5.10	6.00	9.00	10.02
6.25	7.05	10.14	10.52
7.21	8.00	10.29	11.35
9.46	10.30		

References

x Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
s Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

LOCAL NEWS

Try Tobin's Printery next time.

Try Lawler's for Printing, 29 Prescott.

Rogers, Millinery, 440 Gorham street.

Watuppas, Prescott, Miner's, tonight.

Mr. Eugene Jutras and his sister, Miss Albina Jutras of Manchester, N. H., are visiting relatives in this city.

Girl wanted for general housework. Must be good cook and give references. Apply evenings at 279 Nesmith street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dextra, who were the guests of Mr. Joseph Dextra of Merrimack street have returned to their home in Worcester.

The musical program that was so excellently given at the Sacred Heart church last Sunday will be repeated at the services next Sunday.

The second in a series of illustrated lectures was given on St. Francis de Sales last night at St. Joseph's college hall. The lecturer was Rev. Fr. Baron, O. M. I., director of the order of St. Francis, and he handled his subject in a very interesting manner. The attendance was very large and the receipts which will be devoted to the purchase of a banner for the third order of St. Francis were satisfactory.

The Crimson A. C. held a social time at the home of its new president, Mr. Harold Kirkpatrick, last night. After a business meeting in which they made plans for their annual camp and spoke over baseball matters, a very enjoyable concert was given by the different members, the feature being the comedy songs of John Mullarky. The piano solos by Mr. Kirkpatrick and the violin solos by Doherty were well received. After refreshments were served the evening was spent in pleasant chat. At a late hour the members left, all voting a very good time.

ASLEEP IN FIELD

MAN FOUND IN BAD PHYSICAL CONDITION

Joseph Coughlin, aged about 37 years, was found lying in a field off Billings street about 7.30 o'clock this morning. He was placed under arrest and subsequently sent to the police station.

It is alleged that the man was under the influence of liquor and probably lost his way last night and wandering into the field, fell asleep and remained there until found this morning. When awakened he was shivering with the cold and was in a poor physical condition.

Patrolman Palmer and another man assisted Coughlin to a nearby house where a woman provided tea. Later word was sent to the police station and the man was placed under arrest. He will be brought into court tomorrow morning if his condition permits.

LICENSE BOARD

Made Tour of Inspection This Morning

The members of the license commission, accompanied by Supt. Redmond Welch and Clerk John J. Flaherty, resumed the work of inspecting the premises where liquor licenses were applied for. The commissioners spent the greater portion of last Tuesday inspecting the different places. It is doubtful if they will be able to finish the inspection tonight.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

COMMITTEE MET

To Discuss the Miners Trouble

PHILADELPHIA, April 12.—The sub committee of eight representing the miners and operators who are endeavoring to reach an agreement on a new wage arrangement for the anthracite mine workers went into session again shortly after 10 o'clock today with the prospect that they will sit all day. Several of the members before entering the conference room in the Reading terminal said they expected it would be several days before they would be able to make a report to the full committee. When they are ready to report an agreement or failure to arrive at a satisfactory agreement a call will be sent out for a meeting of the full committee in this city. Nothing concerning the work of the sub-committee will be given until it reports to the general committee of the miners and operators.

HID $75 IN STOVE

Then His Wife Started the Fire

PROVIDENCE, April 12.—George Jacques of Wheaton street heard burglars about his house Wednesday night and stealthily hid $75 in bills in a parlor stove. He arose early yesterday and went down town on business, forgetting the money.

As Mrs. Jacques expected company from Brockton, Mass., she started a glowing blaze in the stove and it was too late to decipher the denomination of the bills when Jacques returned home breathless. He fainted and a doctor was called.

Mrs. Margaret Clancy of 18 Danforth street thought the ice box in her home a good place to hide her cash. She put $21 in the receptacle and placed it in the cooler yesterday afternoon. When she went to get some money for household expenses, however, the entire $21 was missing.

She swooned. Later she summoned the police.

FINE PROGRAM

GIVEN AT LOWELL CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC

A delightful concert was given last night at the Lowell Conservatory of Music in Appleton street, when the 26th public recital of the conservatory was held. The program was varied and very interesting and was as follows:

"L'Alerte" ....Herb. Op. 572
"Fanfare Militaire (four hands).
Miss Marion Blodgett, Mrs. Henrietta Bond.
Song, "Whisper, and I Shall Hear," Piccolomini
Miss Mary A. B. Mack.
Violin obligato,
Mrs. E. Wentworth.
"Flora" ....Wenzel
Miss Grace Sullivan.
(a) "Air de Ballet"........Chaminade
(b) "Automne" ....Chaminade
Miss Lena Camire.
Song, "Come When the Lindens Bloom," Buck, Op. 87, No. 1
Mr. Fred G. Bond.
"If I Were King," Overture....Adams
Miss Ernestine Alexander.
"Mignon Overture," (four hands),
Mrs. Carrie Dawson Chase, Miss Marion Louise Blodgett.
Song, "Polonaise," (from Mignon), Thomas
Mrs. Mary Fiske.
"Magnolia Intermezzo,"
Bernice Knight.
"Marquis Minuet."
Agnes Pollard.
Song, "Springtime" ....Stern
Miss Irene Parthenais.
"Rosary."
Mr. Richard O'Connell.
"Priest's March," (from Athaliah), Handel
Miss Valentine Mary Louise Girard.
"Evening Star" ....Tannhauser
Miss Ellen Christian.
"Venetian Serenade"...E. Fredericksen
Mrs. Ethel Lundgren.
"Valse Brillante" ....Rubenstein
"Wedding Procession" ....Rubenstein
Miss Marion Louise Blodgett.
(a) "Spinnradchen" ....Bendel
(b) "Cupid's Garden"..........Eugene
Mrs. Carrie Dawson Chase.
"Aralla" Mazurka de Salon, (four hands) .... Adams
Mrs. Henrietta Bond, Miss Bernice Knight.

The following pianoforte graduates of the conservatory took part in this recital: Mrs. Carrie Dawson Chase, Miss Ernestine Alexander, Miss Valentine Mary L. Girard, and Miss Lena Camire.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THE HOME RULE BILL

Is Sure of a Majority of at Least 100 Votes

LONDON, April 12.—Before leaving the house of commons last night after the introduction of Home Rule bill, John E. Redmond, Irish leader, said of the new bill:

"It is a great measure; far greater, both from the political and financial points of view than either of Mr. Gladstone's bills were, so far as Ireland is concerned.

"I have not the slightest doubt, as I declared in the house of commons this afternoon, that the bill will be adopted by an overwhelming majority of the Irish people at the National convention, which we propose holding in the Mansion house in Dublin on April 23.

"The Home Rule bill will go through the house of commons this session by an enormous majority. Whether the house of lords will reject it or not I don't know, but it will pass into law, and you can tell our friends in America so."

John Dillon said: "The bill is a great measure, an improvement in every respect on the bills of 1886 and 1893. I am convinced it will be accepted by Irish nationalists all over the world as settlement of the Irish national question and a solid basis for reconciliation between the Irish and the English people.

"I trust that all friends of Ireland in America will aid the government in passing this great measure by the invaluable support of the public opinion of the American people."

Irish Members Enthusiastic

The members of the Irish party in the house of commons are enthusiastic about the bill as outlined by Asquith. Its printed details will not be available

PREMIER ASQUITH

until after division at 11, Tuesday night, when vote will be on, giving leave to print bill.

The result is a foregone conclusion, and home rule is certain to win by about 100 majority, allowing for absentees.

IRISH PAPERS

COMMENT ON HOME RULE BILL

DUBLIN, April 12.—The nationalist papers of Ireland on the whole consider the government's Home Rule bill as satisfactory, although some of them profess to regard it as not being final. The Freeman's Journal describes the bill as the greatest, the boldest and the most generous of the three Home Rule bills, and says:

"We should not be surprised to find it received with hearty welcome by the Irish party."

The Irish Times (unionist) says:

"The measure will prove utterly unworkable as to offer no middle course between complete separation from England and a return to the status of the union."

The Irish Independent remarks:

"It would probably be correct in describing the bill to say that it gives us three-quarters of what we expected and probably not so large a share of what we demanded. The measure cannot be regarded as final."

The Cork Free Press says:

"The government's scheme is not a solution of the Irish problem."

Rev. Walter Z. Plaisance, O. M. I., of the Tewksbury novitiate, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Plaisance of 86 Hamilton street, Worcester.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TRIMMED HATS

Bargains

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

200 Trimmed Hats, priced from $3.98 up to $6.98

100 Trimmed Hats, priced from $8 up to $20

Every one of them the best value you ever saw at this time of the year.

Head & Shaw

The Milliners,

35 JOHN STREET

NEW SPRING UNDERWEAR

Crepe Underwear is growing in favor, because it does not crush like smooth finished weaves, is soft, clinging and launders easily; does not require ironing.

We are showing new combinations, chemise and long skirts of crepe, trimmed with insertions and edgings of fine torchon at...... **97c**

Corset Covers of crepe, lace trimmed, neck run with ribbon, at............ **50c**

New styles in white petticoats—one particularly attractive number has deep flounce of hamburg in Grecian pattern, with wide insertion to match at top of flounce; another style has flounce of fish eye lace and insertion, combined with insertions of the daintiest hamburg. You will wonder how we can sell them for....... **$1.97**

Handsome new silk petticoats of lustrous chiffon taffeta, in beautiful new changeable effects; close fitting top, sectional flare flounce, silk underlay. $7.00 value. Special price **$5.00**

THE

WHITE STORE

116 Merrimack St.

JAMES ST. HILAIRE

Installed Chief Forester for Third Term

The regular meeting of Court St. Louis, F. F. A., was held last night in the Centralville Social club rooms in Lakeview avenue with a very large attendance. Chief Forester James St. Hilaire occupied the chair and considerable routine business was transacted. The feature of the evening was the installation of the recently elected officers, which was done with all the formalities of the order.

JAMES ST. HILAIRE,
Chief Forester.

Deputy Henri Chaput acted as installing officer and he was assisted by Rosider Leclerc and Delphis Belleville.

The officers installed were as follows:

James St. Hilaire, who was installed chief forester for the third consecutive term; Hercule A. Toupin, vice chief forester; Rosider Leclerc, past chief forester; Isidore Trudel, recording secretary; Godfroi Caron, financial secretary; J. A. Maille, treasurer; Severin Hebert, Severin St. George, guards; Auguste Jodoin, Aurel Camel, sentinels; J. B. Carbonneau, Edmond Traversy and J. E. Jemery, trustees; J. J. E. Bellemare, dean; Rev. L. C. Bedard, chaplain.

At the close of the business meeting a social hour was held, during which time refreshments were served by Messrs. Severin Hebert and Severin St. George.

ROOSEVELT MEN

ARE IN THE FIGHT TO A FINISH

BAY CITY, Mich., April 12.—"Of course we are going to Chicago," said Charles Nichols, Col. Roosevelt's Michigan manager, last night. "We announced when we got into this fight that we were in it to a finish," he continued, "and we meant what we said. There is no question but that the Taft forces conducted their convention in an illegal manner. While they locked out more than 150 of our delegates they opened the doors to men who had no credentials and permitted them to act as delegates."

GRAND OPENING SALE

"Centralville Heights"

Where is Centralville Heights?

Well, I will tell you. Take the **CHRISTIAN HILL CAR**, go up **CHRISTIAN HILL** and as the car turns around the corner from **TENTH** street into **BEACON** street have the car stopped and you get off, take a **ONE MINUTE'S WALK** up **TENTH** street, on the right hand side and towards the new reservoir, and there you are. Turn around, look towards the city and see the **GRAND PANORAMIC** view of Lowell's great mills and all her varied industries, and beautiful homes and the winding Merrimack river, and look off towards the hills and mountains of New Hampshire and you will behold one of the **GRANDEST VIEWS** that God made when he made this earth.

There are **31 HOUSE LOTS** and you can have your choice of any one of them if you come early to the sale. These lots are located on **TENTH, MUNROE, LLEWELLYN AND RICHARDS STREETS** and lay between Tenth street and new Reservoir, and contain from **4200 to 5635 SQUARE FEET.**

The **GROUND FLOOR PRICES** are from **8c TO 10c** per square foot, a few of the choicest lots a little higher. These lots will be sold on easy terms and we stand ready to build houses on this property on the rental plan to the right parties.

ITS ADVANTAGES:

FIRST—Its close proximity to the city, only eight minutes' car ride from Merrimack square, and one minute's walk to the **CHRISTIAN HILL** car line at the corner of **TENTH** and **BEACON** streets.

SECOND—Its beautiful view.

THIRD—Its healthful location.

FOURTH—Its low price, but not cheap property.

FIFTH—Freeness from city smoke, dust, noise, etc., and many other advantages that I have not enough room to tell about, but come and see us and we will tell them to you.

I firmly believe that this, the highest part of **CENTRALVILLE**, is just what the **HOME SEEKING PEOPLE** of **CENTRALVILLE**, and people wishing to locate in this section of the city, have been looking for for a long time. **CENTRALVILLE** people love their own neighborhood and most of them refuse to move out of **CENTRALVILLE**, although from time to time I have offered them several of my choicest sites, such as the **"LOWELL HIGHLANDS,"** land around the **HIGHLAND CLUB HOUSE** and **BELVIDERE**, and other sections of the city.

I am a **HIGH LAND MAN** and wherever I look for land to sell I look for **HIGH LAND.**

Now I prophesy that any lot which is bought now, at the prices named above, the purchaser can make from **$100 TO $300** on every lot between now and next Easter. This was true at the **"LOWELL HIGHLANDS"** and I know of several parties who made over $300 on the lot they bought at our opening prices.

NO LOTS CAN BE BOUGHT AND NO DEPOSITS on any one of these lots will be accepted until the

OPENING SALE

Saturday, April 13, 1912, at 2 P. M.

We will show these lots to you at any time you wish to see them or you can go and see them yourself alone, if you wish, but I will not sell any, as they are **ON SHOW ONLY** until the sale.

I have always advised the Real Estate Buyers in regard to the buying of house lots to their **FINANCIAL ADVANTAGE** and seldom, if ever, has the customer failed to make a profit, if he sold it, or has been helped and shown by me how to secure and own a home, and I point with pride to the many satisfied customers in this city, who would not have owned their own home if I had not first influenced them to buy a house lot and then to build their own home,

—FOR—

"YOUR SATISFACTION IS OUR SUCCESS"

NOW STOP paying rent just as soon as you possibly can. You have got to take the **FIRST STEP** and that **STEP IS TO BUY a HOUSE LOT.** Consult, at any time, about this **FIRST STEP** with

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TOMORROW AFTERNOON AT 4 O'CLOCK

PLEDGED TO ABSOLUTE AUCTION SALE, THE LARGE, TWO-STORY, 12-ROOM HOUSE SITUATED AT 55 FRANKLIN STREET, WITH SLATED ROOF AND GENEROUS AMOUNT OF LAND, CLOSE TO NUMEROUS MILLS AND SHOPS, TO BE SOLD TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER.

This house was built by the late Mr. Arthur Staples for a home, and is one of the best constructed houses in the city. The finish downstairs is in black walnut, and parlor and sitting room have marble mantels and fireplaces. There is a quartered oak floor in the dining room. Rooms are high posted, both upstairs and down. Cellar is large, well lighted and has a cement floor and is provided with coal bins, vegetable cellar, etc. A new furnace was put in the present year. There are two doors at the front, one leading to the front hall and stairway, the other opening into a hall which connects with the dining room. For a very small amount of money this property might be turned into a two-apartment house, and would not necessitate any changes to the outside of the house.

Downstairs there are parlor, sitting room, hall, dining room, kitchen, large wash room and unfinished room at the rear, which could readily be changed into a sleeping room. The kitchen is provided with sink, and is piped with brass pipes for hot water. Wash room has set tubs and set boiler, bricked in.

The second floor has six rooms and bath, and a large unfinished attic.

At the rear of the lot is a well-constructed shed which is suitable for auto garage. There is a large veranda on the westerly side of the house. The buildings have quite recently been treated to a coat of paint, and will not need attention for several years. The roof is of Munson slate, the best obtainable. House is piped throughout for gas, the parlor and sitting room having chandeliers of cut glass.

This property is to be offered at absolute sale, as the present owners have not time for its proper care. Property of this character is seldom offered at auction, and tenements in this part of the city are seldom idle. There are a dozen or more small shops and factories in the immediate vicinity, and this property affords an excellent opportunity to start a boarding house or lodging house; in fact, the present owners have had several offers for the property for lodging house purposes, by people who desired to hire the same.

A generous amount of purchase price can remain on mortgage. For terms and other conditions of sale apply to the auctioneer.

THOMAS H. KELLEY, Auctioneer.

C. F. KEYES, Auctioneer

Office, Old Boston & Maine Depot. Storehouse and Commission Rooms, Green Street. Telephone 1485.

TOMORROW AFTERNOON AT 2.30 O'CLOCK

Absolute sale at public auction. Four acres of land in Chelmsford, also 5 head of cattle, one farm horse, one-horse dumpcart, square wagon, open buggy, 2 sleighs and 2 sets of harness. The four acres is known as part of Dunn's farm and is located at the junction of the old Westford road and the road leading to Chelmsford Centre. The lot has a large frontage on the above roads. It is high and dry and all walled in. It would make an excellent building site as you have a beautiful view of the surrounding country and about every part of Lowell can be seen on a good clear day. This parcel is situated about half way between North Chelmsford and Chelmsford Centre. It is within three hundred yards of the well known Putnam farm and about five hundred yards from McLarney square. Now then, if you want to locate in the country and still be very convenient to the city, this is your opportunity. Immediately following the sale of real estate I shall sell at the Driscoll farm, which is close by, 5 head of cattle; 1 farm horse weighing 1150 lbs.; 1 one-horse dumpcart; square wagon; open buggy; 2 harnesses, and 2 sleighs. Four of the cattle are young stock that have been raised on the farm here. Inquire for Driscoll's farm, McLarney square, Chelmsford Mass.

Terms: $100 to be paid to the auctioneer as soon as struck off and personal property cash.

By order of
WILLIAM DRISCOLL, Chelmsford Centre.

ON APRIL 23 I SHALL SELL THE REMAINING LIVERY STOCK OF THE BOSTON CAB CO., CONSISTING OF 46 HORSES, 75 CARRIAGES AND 60 SET OF HARNESSES. FOR FULL PARTICULARS SEE THIS PAPER LATER.

SIMON B. HARRIS - - - Auctioneer

Office, Room 4, Central Block, Lowell, Mass.

Commissioners' Sale of Real Estate at

Public Auction

ON SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 1912, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M., ON THE PREMISES KNOWN AS NO. 21 AND NO. 25 WEST FIFTH AVE., LOWELL (PAWTUCKETVILLE).

LOT NO. 1 consists of a 7-room cottage in good repair inside. The lot contains 2800 square feet, fenced; gas, city water, sewer connections.

LOT NO. 2—Immediately after the sale of Lot No. 1, we will offer for sale Lot No. 2, consisting of a 7-room cottage in good rentable condition. The lot contains 2500 square feet, fenced; gas, city water, sewer connections.

The above described real estate is located close to electric car line, church, school, stores, in a good neighborhood. Any person looking for a snug little home at auction price will do well to attend this sale, which will be positively without limit or reserve.

TERMS: $150 must be paid to the auctioneer upon each parcel when the property is struck off. Other terms will be announced at the time and place of sale.

By order of
THOMAS J. ROCHE,
JOHN J. HARVEY,
GEORGE F. STILES,
Commissioners.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight. Saturday probably occasional showers. Moderate variable winds.

THE LOWELL SUN

7 O'CLOCK

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SETTLE THE MILL STRIKE

Or the Exodus of Skilled Help Will Ruin the Factories

The mill operatives during this strike have shown commendable respect for the law. They have submitted a proposition for a reasonable compromise, but the mill officials have thus far made no attempt to meet them half way.

It is reported that the power to settle this strike rests with the mill treasurers in Boston. If they lived in Lowell and kept in touch with public sentiment here they would realize the danger of their delay and their apparent obstinacy.

ASSESSORS HIT BACK

They Want Accountant Rex to Prove His Statements

George M. Rex, the expert accountant who examined the financial books of the city of Lowell and criticized in his report to the commissioner of finance the methods employed in the office of the assessors of taxes and city treasurer's office, is being criticized in turn by the assessors, who declare that Mr. Rex indulged in statements that had no foundation in fact and that instead of making personal inquiry he accepted information from outside sources. The board insists that Mr. Rex should show wherein any member of the board is in any way obliged to any individual, firm or corporation, in the performance of his duty. The letter is signed by the three principal assessors and reads as follows:

April 12, 1912.

George M. Rex, C. P. A.,
46 Westminster Street,
Providence, R. I.

Dear Sir: In that part of your report which relates to the assessors' department you make the following statement:

"The assessment is made up, or at least supervised, by three assessors, each of whom has a certain section of the city to attend to in detail. These three assessors have numerous clerks to assist them in their duties insofar as gathering material and placing it in a collective form. The method pursued in each being assigned to a certain section, I believe could be improved upon and should be changed. There are too many possibilities for wrong assessment and for under assessment."

We wish to courteously inform you, sir, that the method above described by you wherein you say that the assessors divide the city into sections for the purposes of assessment, each assessor being assigned to a certain section, is not pursued in our office and the assertion that it is, is absolutely unfounded in fact and would be contrary to the laws of this commonwealth however it might conform to the Rhode Island statutes.

We are surprised that a man of your attainments, in your chosen field and presumably familiar with the financial methods of many municipalities should see fit to make such statements in your report without having verified by personal inquiry the information upon which such statements are based. The only conclusion that can be drawn is that you were satisfied to rely upon information gathered from outside sources, though you had an opportunity on the occasion of your one visit to this office to enlighten yourself as to the facts and the laws governing assessments. We regret exceedingly that you did not so avail yourself; the taxpayers of our city might have been spared the trouble and necessity of ascertaining that they had been misinformed by your report.

The board further respectfully insists that in justice to the taxpayers of the city you should definitely set out wherein any member of this board is in any way obligated to any individual, firm or corporation, in the performance of his duties.

We desire, in conclusion, to commend you for the roseate view you take of the wealth and future prosperity of our city and we assure you that we shall strive to attain the valuation and high figures that you are so confident may be reached. We are frank to confess that, like the public press, we are a little skeptical of our ability to do so.

Respectfully yours,
C. Arthur Abbott,
Albert J. Blazon,
Jeremiah J. O'Sullivan,
Board of Assessors.

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We carry to you the only real help there is for house cleaning.

An electric vacuum cleaner!

We show you how to use it.

You may rent it.

LOWELL ELECTRIC LIGHT CORP.

50 Central Street

NATIONAL BANK

Is Over $200,000 Short in Funds

WASHINGTON, April 12—The First National bank of New Berlin, N. Y., which closed its doors yesterday, is over $200,000 short in funds, according to an estimate of the new cashier of the institution transmitted to Comptroller of the Currency May today by National Bank Examiner Roreback. "Former Cashier Frank Arnold, who resigned a week ago and is a physical wreck and reported in a dying condition, has made a confession to the directors," telegraphed Mr. Roreback.

ALWAYS WORTH ITS VALUE IN GOLD

Open an account with the Merrimack River Savings Bank, then you always know the value of your funds—that they are worth full value in gold.

This eliminates all speculation and yet supplies a good income.

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417 MIDDLESEX STREET

LOCAL STRIKERS

Grow Impatient and Plan More Aggressive Tactics to Win Victory

"Will the agents come to some agreement and make concessions today?" Such is the question or remark heard all over the city today. It was expected the mill officials would offer ten per cent. increase, but as yet nothing is forthcoming. The mill officials will not speak, and the operatives are more determined than ever to stay away from the mills until their employers have acquiesced to their demands. The strikers, despite the fact that they have now been out of work for three weeks, seem happy, and the Portuguese say if the mill agents or treasurers do not "come up with the goods" in a couple of weeks, they will ask for 20 per cent. intead of 15.

One of the most enthusiastic meetings of the I. W. W. was held this morning. There was not much business transacted, but the enthusiasm was at high pitch, especially when Dr. Demopoulos, leader of the Greek strikers, announced that if a settlement of the strike is not brought about within a week he would allow the Greeks to go on the picket line.

The members of the Weavers' union will be paid off tomorrow afternoon, at which time they will receive their second pay of $4 per week. It was announced by the executive council of the Textile Workers of America this morning that a relief station will be opened next week if there is no change in the situation.

A small strike broke out in the Brookside mill in Westford this morning, when all the girls employed on the work known as Jack spooling, left their work on account of a cut down which they claim went into effect last Monday. The strikers claim if they do not return to work the entire plant will be crippled in a few days.

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MAD DOG SCARE

Two Children Bitten at Marieville

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 12.—The police and citizens of half a dozen Rhode Island towns and villages were on the lookout today for mad dogs which have been causing much excitement. Two children were bitten by an apparently rabid dog in Marieville last night and scores of men searched the woods in the vicinity of the place where the murdered body of 12-year-old William Mather, Jr., was recently found throughout the day. Mad dogs have also appeared in Pawtucket, Pawtuxet, Arlington, Silver Lake and Smithfield.

PRICES OF WHEAT

Made a Great Advance Today

CHICAGO, April 12.—Wheat prices today advanced in a manner which attracted wide attention. The cause was the fact that the damage to the soft winter crop appeared to have reached nearly the proportions of a disaster. Many millers here from interior points bought cash wheat freely and confirmed reports that hundreds of fields which were expected to produce a fine harvest would have to be ploughed under and utilized so far as possible in some other way. The injury though vast, was stated to be confined chiefly to states east of the Missouri river.

July wheat, which closed last night at 100⅞ and 101, sold today up to 103, a net rise of 2 and 2⅛. The rise was the more remarkable owing to a previous straightaway advance of 6½ cents.

THE REGISTRARS

MET TODAY, AND DECIDED ON REGISTRATION DATES

The board of registrars of voters met this afternoon and decided upon dates for registration for the presidential primaries April 30. The dates decided upon are as follows: Thursday, the 25th from 7 to 9 p. m., and Friday the 26th from 12 m. to 10 p. m.

THE FIRE ENGINE

Is a Luxury, Says Ald. Barrett

Commissioner Barrett, who has charge of the water works and fire department, allows that a fire engine in Lowell is almost in the luxury column. In going over the reports of the different fire houses he has discovered that the combined number of hours in which the six fire engines of the city engaged last year was 24 hours and 15 minutes and the hours that the engines were used, individually, were as follows: Engine 1, seven hours; engine 2, nine hours and forty-five minutes; engine 3, two hours; engine 4, one hour; engine 5, one hour and 15 minutes; engine 6, three hours and 45 minutes.

Now that the old fire engine Torrent No. 2 has been repaired, Captain Boynton wants it returned to the Branch street house from which it was taken a few weeks ago. The engine was repaired by the water department and was given a tryout yesterday, the result of which has already appeared in The Sun. The repairs did not cost very much and Torrent No. 2 has the distinction of being the only engine to be repaired at home. Commissioner Barrett wrote to different companies for bids for the repair of the engine and the figures he received so staggered him that he decided to try to do the job at home. The International Power Co., of Providence, R. I., asked $1535; the Manchester (N. H.) Machine Works, $1775, and the Combination Ladder Co., of Providence, R. I., $1790.

PASCAL GILMORE

Ex-State Treasurer is Ready to Give Bail

AUGUSTA, Me., April 12.—Pascal Gilmore, the former state treasurer, who was indicted on the charge of embezzling state funds in 1908 to the amount of $10,576 arrived from his home in Bucksport early this afternoon in readiness for his arraignment in the superior court later in the day. He was prepared to furnish bail for his appearance at a date to be set for his trial.

NATIONAL GUARD

TO BE SUPPLIED WITH NEW AUTOMATIC PISTOLS

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Secretary of War Stimson will soon issue to the National guard of the country the new automatic pistol adopted for the regular army, to displace the revolver. Assistant Comptroller of the Treasury Mitchell today decided that the secretary of war is authorized by congress to expend $200,000 for that purpose. It will be one year before the entire regular army is finally equipped with the pistol.

THE THURSTON WILL

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 12.—Leading lawyers of the Rhode Island bar and leading legal authorities from other places appeared before the supreme court today for the interpretation of the holograph will drafted 23 years ago in Paris by the late Benjamin Thurston, himself one of the most prominent lawyers in the state at that time. Among those who argued before the court today was Prof. John Chipman Gray of Harvard, an authority on perpetuities. The case involves more than a million dollars.

COLORITE RE-COLORS YOUR OLD STRAW HAT.

Splendid for fixing up Ladies & Childrens' hats.

DOWS, Druggist

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ANY EMPLOYE —OF THE— BOOTT MILLS

Who is sick or in need, may apply for assistance to the Working Girls' Club, Recreation Room, Boott Mills, from 9 a. m. to 12 m. and from 2 to 4 p. m. daily and Sunday from 2 to 4 p. m.

Signed,
MINNIE O'CONNELL, Pres.
Working Girls' Club.
Boott Mill.

CONSPIRACY ALLEGED

Suit is Entered Against Two Big Mining Companies

BOSTON, April 12.—One of the biggest aggregations of capitalized wealth ever brought before a court in this city appeared before General Charles Darling, acting as United States commissioner, today to make depositions in the suit of Louis Goss against the Parrot Silver & Copper Mining Co. and the Anaconda Copper Mining Co. The suit is to be tried at Butte, Mont. Among those making depositions were Thomas W. Lawson, Robert Winsor, Albert L. Brown, George Walker and Charles Bowen. The plaintiffs declare a conspiracy existed among the men in control of the Parrot Co. to depreciate the value of the stock so that the Anaconda company might obtain control at a low figure.

Watuppas, Prescott, Miner's, tonight.

CHINESE TROOPS

Looted and Burned Many Stores

SHANGHAI, April 12.—A body of newly raised troops mutinied last night in the center of Nanking looting and burning many stores and residences. The Cantonese regulars remained loyal and surrounded the mutineers, whom they subdued. No foreigners were injured during the rioting.

CHIEF HEALEY

CAME HERE TO INSPECT THE POLICE PATROL

Chief Healey of the Manchester police department was a visitor in this city this afternoon, his object being to inspect the Thomas automobile which is now being used by the police of this city. The police department of Manchester anticipates the purchase of an automobile patrol and having learned of the success of the machine which is in use in this city, desired to inspect it before recommending a purchase.

Application to place Mr. Gilmore, the ex-superintendent of cemeteries on the civil service list as assistant superintendent has been filed with the civil service commission.

ANNUAL Musical Oddity and Hop

BY THE Famous 20th Century Bachelor Club

ASSOCIATE HALL TONIGHT

Tickets 25 cents. Gilmore's orchestra. Dancing from 9 until 12 o'clock.

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BECAUSE Lowell people know OUR PURE GOODS.

BECAUSE Lowell people know OUR SELLING FIGURES.

BECAUSE WE DELIVER these Commodities to your own door.

BECAUSE we realize the full importance of PLEASING YOU.

Powdered Borax, lb.	7c
Denatured Alcohol, pt.	10c
Jap. Rose Soap, ck.	10c
Chloride Lime, lb. box	10c
White Castile Soap, ck.	10c
Coburn's Potash, lb. box	10c
Sulphur Candles, each	10c
Water Glass, qt.	10c
Wool Alcohol, pt.	12c
Witch Hazel, pt.	15c
Liquid Disinfectant, pt.	15c
White Castor Oil, pt.	17c
Naphthaline Flakes, 3 lbs	25c
Naphthaline Balls, 3 lbs	25c
Tree Tanglefoot, lb.	30c
Glycerine, pt.	35c
Carbolic Acid Crystals, lb.	35c
Bay Rum, pt.	35c
Gum Camphor, lb.	53c

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NOTICE

During the construction of the new Sun building the business office and all departments of The Sun will be located at 115 Paige street, opposite the Free Baptist church.

Telephone 269.

LAWYER MORSE

Seeks Commutation of Richeson Sentence

BOSTON, April 12.—Clarence V. T. Richeson's attorney, William A. Morse, conferred with District Attorney Pelletier at the latter's office last evening over the petition for the commutation of the condemned murderer's sentence.

By law the district attorney will be required to make a report to the governor and council, with recommendations, regarding the petition. When the petition is filed on April 26 it will be sent at once to Mr. Pelletier. Neither the district attorney nor Atty. Morse would talk concerning the conference of last night. They were closeted from 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon till 7.15, and then went out to dinner together.

Atty. Morse stated to Mr. Pelletier the arguments he would put before the governor and council.

The attitude which the district attorney would take on the matter was the chief topic of the consultation. Attorney Morse urged the district attorney to favor commutation for the reasons he outlined.

These included the mental condition of Richeson at the time he committed the crime, at the time he pleaded guilty, at the time he mutilated himself in Charles street jail and at present; also evidence of his mental condition which Attorney Lee is to bring from Virginia, the saving of expense to the county by the plea of guilty and to the crime of murder was urged strongly.

The district attorney from the start of the murder case has publicly maintained that it was an act of deliberation, deserving of no clemency. It might be within his province to adhere to that view in his report to the governor and council, or, on the other hand, in view of any new evidence secured since the death of Avis Linnell and Richeson's plea of guilty to recommend executive clemency. He refuses to state his attitude on the question at the present time.

TAUGHT TO STEAL

That's What Girl Told Salem Police

SALEM, April 12.—Mary Haverylik, 15 years old, of Peabody, astonished the Salem police yesterday. Smiling, she stood in the police station, confessed that she had robbed several stores, giving various false names and addresses, and stated a Lawrence woman had taken her in charge and given her a course in how to steal.

Mary walked into the W. S. Lee company's jewelry store, Salem, yesterday, and passed a ring set with five stones to the young woman clerk.

"I want to get that exchanged," said Mary. "It was bought here a week ago."

The clerk noticed the ring bore the price tag of another jewelry store. "The proprietor is out just now," said the clerk. "You call around in an hour and we'll fix you up." Mary took the ring and walked out.

An hour later she walked in and into the hands of a policeman, who had many questions to ask. They took her to the station house.

According to the police, Mary said she stole the ring from the store of G. Willis Whipple & Co., Salem, and confessed to other thefts, including that of a ring from the Star Hewitt store, and another ring from the Lee company.

Asked for her name, she said she was Mary Ryansky of 12 Custom House place. A policeman learned this was not true. Then Mary gave other names and addresses. The police haven't had time to investigate the story about the female Fagin.

Mary finally gave her right name and address, and because of her age was taken home and left in custody of her parents at 75 Lowell street, Peabody.

FOR MANSLAUGHTER

Raffaele Palma to be Sentenced Monday

BOSTON, April 12.—Raffaele Palma, indicted for murder in the first degree, was found guilty of manslaughter by a jury in the superior criminal court yesterday before Judge Chase.

Palma, who is 39 years old, lives at 296 North street and is a fisherman. Shot and killed Giovanni Megna of 6 Vernon place on the afternoon of Sunday, Jan. 7, in front of 6 Unity court in the North end.

He is also under indictment for assault with intent to kill Agrippino Spizza of 457 Hanover street at the same time and place. That charge will probably be put on file.

Megna died instantly by a bullet wound in his brain. Spizza, though shot through the chest, recovered.

After a game of tocco in the house, it was testified, Megna made demands for money on Palma and Spizza.

Judge Chase set bail at once at $10,000. Palma was committed in default of it. He was told to be ready for sentence Monday. The maximum for the offense is 20 years.

Police officers testified Megna was a bad man.

MONTHLY SOCIAL

AND ENTERTAINMENT AT FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The monthly social at the First Congregational church was held last night with an entertainment given by the chorus choir under the direction of Mr. Frank B. Murphy and readings by pupils of Miss Adelaide Noyes. The program was as follows: Selections by the chorus choir; reading, Loretta Barry; song, Donald Hanson; quartet, Miss Powers, Mrs. Fullerton, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Hanson; song, Miss Lillian Powers; reading, Miss Catherine Kelley; selection by the chorus choir. Accompanist, Mrs. Ida Brown.

The matrons were Mrs. William P. Means, Mrs. George Heath, assisted by Mrs. John Sawyer, Mrs. Jude Wadleigh, Mrs. Frank Munn, Mrs. Carrie Stafford, Mrs. Ed. Sanborn, Mrs. Samuel Snow, Mrs. Lonto, Mrs. Horace Hanson, Mrs. Garnet, Mrs. Robert Fulton, Mrs. Orvil Robinson, Mrs. R. B. Robinson, Mrs. Randal, Mrs. Charles Worren, Mrs. Mertrude, Miss Whittier, Mrs. Worden.

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Our buyer, Mr. James S. Hastings, has searched the markets for the latest novelties in draperies and lace curtains, with the result that we have many very handsome patterns to offer, in Antique, Renaissance, Marie Antoinette, Brussels, scrims, nets and muslins. French and domestic tapestries, velours, corduroys; imported and domestic cretonnes, printed scrims, silkalines, sateens and sunfast materials.

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One Lot Fine Scotch Net Curtains—Full length and width. Regular price $2.49. Special price $1.79

One Lot Utility Boxes—Nicely made, in desirable size. Regular price $1.98. Special price $1.69

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DUTCH NECK WAIST—Round neck, trimmed with German Val. lace and insertion, inserted medallion and embroidered front, three-quarter length sleeves, tucked and lace trimmed, tucked back. Special $1.98

WAIST OF ALL-OVER EMBROIDERY—Eyelet design, Dutch neck, square cut, lace trimmed with inserted medallion, three-quarter length sleeves, trimmed to match, edged with ruffle. Special $1.98

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DUTCH NECK WAIST—Of batiste, hand embroidered front, with lace and hamburg medallion, lace trimmed sleeves, lace trimmed, tucked back. Special $1.98

BUTTON FRONT WAIST—Of cotton voile, Cluny lace trimmed crochet buttons, clusters of fine tucks, sailor collar, embroidered and edged with Cluny lace, three-quarter length sleeves, tucked and lace trimmed, tucked back. Special....$1.98

REV. FR. LAMOTHE

Received Several Gifts from the Children

Yesterday being the feast of St. Leon, the little pupils of Notre Dame de Lourdes parochial school took occasion to greet their pastor, Rev. Leon

REV. LEON LAMOTHE,

Lamothe, O. M. I., and as a token of esteem they presented him several useful gifts. In the afternoon the reverend gentleman was escorted to the school hall where the children had all gathered, and there a delightful entertainment was held.

At the close of the program Fr. Lamothe was presented a fine lace surplice a pretty biretta and a sum of gold, the gifts being packed in a beautiful basket of cut flowers. Fr. Lamothe although taken by surprise, thanked his little friends in a charming manner.

The children as well as their teachers deserve the greatest of praise for their share in the celebration. They have shown a remarkable spirit for some time past and it was mainly through their efforts that the money was realized for the tokens presented to the pastor.

COL. ROOSEVELT

To be in Lowell Tomorrow Night

Col. Theodore Roosevelt who will pass through Lowell tomorrow night has made a change in his program. It was previously announced that he would reach this city at 11.10 o'clock and deliver a speech from the rear of his car at the Middlesex street station. Several local people communicated with the ex-president and requested that it would be appreciated if he reached Lowell earlier in the night. According to the new arrangement Col. Roosevelt will reach the Middlesex street station about 9.45 o'clock Saturday night and his car will be sidetracked. He will then deliver a lengthy address. Later on his car will be picked up by the New York train and he will return to his home.

THE CHIPPEWAS

The members of the Chippewa club held a meeting at their rooms in Gorham street last night. A musical program was carried out after the business meeting, as follows: Piano solos, Miss Lila Mone and Miss May Gallagher; songs, John Foley and Thomas Hessian and a monolog by Alfred Campbell. A dance will be held in Drapeau tomorrow evening and the officers for the party were elected as follows: General manager, Thomas Hessian; assistant general manager, Lillian Mone; floor director, John Foley; assistant floor director, May Gallagher; treasurer, Alfred Campbell; chief aid, Daniel Sullivan.

PROF. HOWARD DEAD

MIDDLEBURY, Vt., April 12.—Prof. Walter Howard, the first dean of Middlebury college, died at his home here today. Mr. Howard had been a professor in the college for 23 years. He was well known in Vermont as a member of the state board of education.

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Mary T. Goldman's Gray Hair Restorer restores original color in mild, healthful manner in from 7 to 14 days. Entirely different from anything else. Its effect is permanent. Does not wash off nor look unnatural. Has no sediment, so it's neither sticky nor greasy—it's as pure and clear as water.

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LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

At the Opera House tonight and Saturday afternoon and evening P. Paul Marcel will present a repertoire of his best plays, in the same form that has characterized their success, and the identical excellent company which will be seen assisting him comprises the following names: George Dumestre, Mme. C. P. Marcel, E. Meussot, M'lle. Maud Queyrens, Roger Guyot, M'lle. Eva Dereynes, G. Miral, M'lle. Jane Dhorny, Mme. Cotah and others.

The company has but recently concluded a very successful engagement at the Majestic theatre in Boston, and the press of that city proclaimed Paul Marcel a master of his art and his supporting artists one of the greatest combinations that has ever appeared in Boston, where they return for a mid-spring engagement prior to their departure for Paris. New York City is included in the itinerary.

"THE LITTLEST REBEL"

During their three months of phenomenal success at the Boston theatre, Dustin and William Farnum, stars of "The Littlest Rebel" which will be seen Tuesday, April 16th, have firmly established themselves as Hub favorites. It is the universal opinion that the talented brothers and clever actors have hit upon a piece of theatrical property in "The Littlest Rebel" that will last them for several seasons, to come and place them closer to where they belong in the American theatre than has been the case in recent years. The Farnums have the distinction of being the only stars in this country who are brothers. A feeling of brotherly love exists between Dustin and William to such an extent that there is not the least bit of jealousy and one always declares that the other is the best actor. Theatregoers of Boston will never forget the Farnums and their clever work as the northern and southern soldiers as well as the dainty and captivating child study as exhibited by Mary Miles Minter in the role of Virgie. This clever actress is the pivot on which the play turns and as General Grant remarks in the fourth act, "If you don't stop interfering with the routine of our army and leading our officers away from their duty, I'll put you in the guard house." Whereupon Virgie bends her head sidewise and looks up at him with so much childish supplication that he is forced to forget that he is the "iron man" and stoops to kiss her rosy lips.

"THE CONFESSION"

"The Confession," which was produced at the Bijou Theatre, Broadway, New York City, will be presented at the Opera House on Friday, April 19.

The story that is told is said to be a remarkable one and the plot is well developed and finds a strong conclusion and great dramatic power, heart interest, a lesson and a purpose.

DOCKSTADER'S MINSTRELS

Lew Dockstader's Great Minstrels with Neil O'Brien, Manuel Romain, Bob Albright and three score of other well-known black face artists, will be seen here at an early date. This year's organization is said to be the greatest that Mr. Dockstader has ever had. Mr Dockstader's big song hit, "Lord, Have Mercy on a Married Man," promises to be as big a success as "Everybody Works But Father."

"THE COUNTRY BOY"

In "The Country Boy," which comes to the Opera House Saturday, April 20, matinee and night, direct from a long and successful engagement at the Park theatre, Boston, the principal character is a youth who comes to New York city to win a fortune and a great name which he intends to offer to the dearest girl in all the world just as soon as he can go back home bedecked with sufficient laurels. But at the very first drop of the hammer he becomes entangled with a city girl and forgets the girl back home until the city girl has thrown him over after he has wasted all his time, money and business chances because of her. Then he hears that his country girl sweetheart has jilted him too, and he feels so very sure that life is not worth living that he tries to kill himself. But he doesn't succeed for a firm hand grips him, shakes the nonsense out of him and sends him back to the shelter and protection of his own home town where he finally succeeds in making the name and fortune he went away to seek. It is a pretty story excellently told, with a wealth of character sketches and comical situations.

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Beginning Today, Friday, April 12th.

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Women appreciative of quality and reliability will bestir themselves to unequalled buying activity when the savings are fully realized. If only one pair were purchased from each lot of these six numbers the exact saving would be $4.85 or an average reduction of thirty-nine per cent.

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Women's 2 Clasps, Overseam French Glace Kid	$1.25	95c
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Women's 8-Button Glace Kid (colors only)	$2.50	$1.05
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To increase the breadth and scope of this remarkable opportunity, you may choose from our regular Fabric Glove Stock a few very interesting items which you'll readily recognize as the best values obtainable in the United States even at full regular prices.

	Regular Price	Sale Price
Two Clasps, Natural Chamoisette	50c	38c
Two Clasps, Milanese Suede Lisle, black, white, gray, mode, tan	75c	50c

Fownes' and Kayser's Double Tipped Pure Silk Gloves, two clasps, black, white, gray, tan, pongee.

Regular Prices.... 50c, 75c, $1.00

Sale Prices..... 38c, 58c, 78c

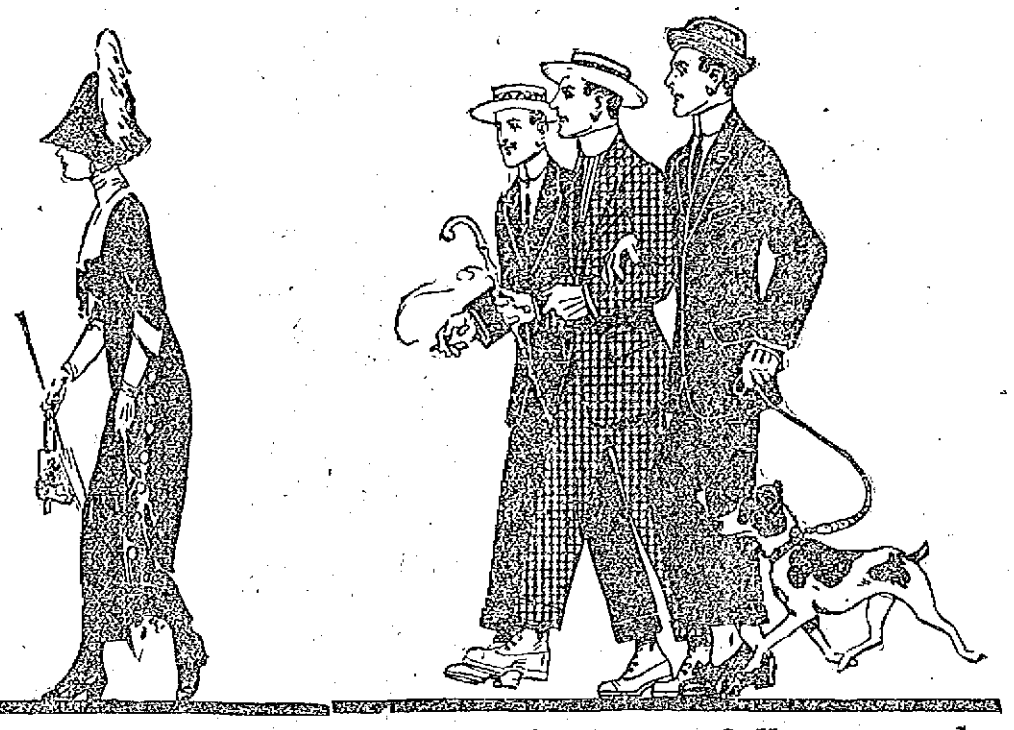
16 Button Milanese Pure Silk, Double Tips, Plain and Embroidered, black, white, navy, pongee, tan, sky, pink, maize, lavender, etc..... $1.50 — 95c

SMALL LOT KID GLOVES, mussed from the Easter rush, sizes 5 3-4, 6, 6 3-4, 7, 7 1-4, 7 1-2; $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 qualities 69c

JUST TO INTEREST THE MEN we will offer 240 Pairs Imported Cape Stock, Prix Seam Sewn, worth and sold regularly for $1.50. Sale price 82c

KEITH'S LOWELL THEATRE

The act of the Hanlons at Keith's this week aside from its side-splitting comedy features is wonderfully interesting inasmuch as it demonstrates the perfection of imitation. Two men imitate each other in every lightning-like movement so perfectly that for several minutes the audience is under the impression that he is watching one man performing before a life-sized mirror. The mirror feature of the Hanlons act is alone well worth the price. The Aitken-Whitman trio of contortionists have caused more wonderment than any other benders who ever appeared here. The manner in which they defy all bones and joints passeth understanding. Barnes and Robinson in a singing, talking and piano playing act cause great merriment. Their repartee while not particularly edifying is most laughable. Gracie Emmett and company present a most pleasing Irish comedy sketch, entitled "Mrs. Murphy's Second Husband," in which an enterprising widow marries a dyspeptic husband with a substantial life insurance policy. Darrell and Conway exemplify the perfection of "rag-chewing" in the role of a couple of vaudeville performers who are forced to dress for their act on an empty stage. Spiegel and Dunn appear in black face and sing and dance in a most satisfactory manner. Scheck and D'Armon, from the old world, sing, do hand balancing and acrobatic work along with character changes in a merry hodge podge. Swan and Bombard present an agreeable singing and dancing act. The orchestra offers "Baron Trenck." There's an exceptionally big bill coming next week.



WHEREVER a group of young fellows gather in these days, you're pretty certain to see some good looking clothes. The demands of young men in matters of cut, fabric, color, pattern, have done more to influence the making of clothes than any other one thing.

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MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

One of the best balanced bills of the season is the week's offering at the Merrimack Square theatre. Every act is of a superior quality and in combination make one of the cleverest programs gotten together by Mgr. Carroll in some months. R. G. Edwards & Co. presenting "The Pitcher," a baseball episode, is excellent entertainment and making a big hit with the patrons of the theatre.

Prof. Robert's Trained Rats, Cats Dog, is one of the greatest novelties on the vaudeville stage. These tiny animals are trained to perform many tricks and they go through them without the slightest hesitancy. The young folk especially, enjoy the act.

Dixon Peters, interpreting well known characters from the works of Charles Dickens, is sharing in the favorable recognition which the entire bill is receiving and the Straub Sisters, known as the soprano and the danseuse, in "Fads and Fancies of Girls," are especially entertaining.

Miss Anna McMahon, assisted by Mr. Henry Fearing, introduce some high-class musical numbers. "Pack Up Your Lips Miss Lindy," one of Eli Dawson's latest composition, sent to Manager Carroll, is being featured. The piano selections by Mr. Fearing are especially good.

The photo-plays for the last three days of the week are the output of the biggest and best manufacturers of films in this and foreign countries, and include Pathe's Weekly. The views of present-day events are also interesting. Friday night the Merrimack Square theatre concert orchestra will feature selections from the opera "Faust." Friday night also will be "Baseball Night," and all the fans of the city, as well as the members of the Lowell baseball club, are expected to be on hand. Box office telephone 2053.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

It is not true that Bill Looney is considering adopting the stage as a profession but those who saw him last evening are under the impression that should he attempt vaudeville, he would be a big bill for a headliner. To witness his funny antics in "The New Judge" in which he takes the part of the sleepy "cop" is but to laugh, and when he pulled Eddie La Rose up over the footlights by the heels, he simply stopped the show. Kathryn McCrane, who was brought before the judge accused of bigamy but whom the judge called Big Annie, was exceedingly clever, and her answers brought roars of laughter. Faust & Faust, two crazy musicians, and Tommie Donnelly, the worst singer in vaudeville with three dandy pictures closed the show.

THEATRE VOYONS

Today the Theatre Voyons shows "Charlie's Reform," a picture issued by the Edison company in conjunction with the Russell Sage foundation dealing with the social center work in school houses. This picture is a well thought out, finely acted and most interesting presentation of the matter

NOTICE

A meeting of the Ladies of Charity of St. John's hospital will be held Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

THE ANNUAL SOCIAL

Of Pollard Employes M. B. Association

The seventh annual social and dance by the members of the A. G. Pollard Employes Mutual Benefit association was held last night in Associate hall with a very large attendance. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion, the decorations consisting of bunting, potted ferns and floral pieces.

Dancing started at 8.45 o'clock and continued until midnight, refreshments being served at 11 o'clock when a short intermission was in order. Miner's orchestra was in attendance and between 8 and 8.45 o'clock it rendered a delightful concert.

The officers of the evening were:

Committee of management, Arthur G. Leveille, F. A. Dubois, Miss Eva C. Jenkins, James R. Richards; floor director, Alfred Ducharme; assistant floor director, Miss Josephine Holden; chief aid, Mr. Paul R. Doherty; reception committee, Frank L. Kimball, Lenoce L. Fortin, Frank A. Smith, Joseph A. Gagnon.

The officers of the association are as follows: President, Pearl R. Kinney; vice president, James R. Richards; treasurer, Justin H. Kimball; secretary, Miss Bessie M. Porter; collector, Miss Mary A. Jutras; auditors, Miss Louise Gervais, Fred A. Dubois.

Off to California

When you wave good-bye to your home town for a summer trip to California, you are in for the most glorious and refreshing vacation you ever could take. When you strike the mountains en route, the best of the fun begins and when at last you burst through the Sierra Nevadas and behold beautiful California, you'll realize that you are living in a different world. Clear skies, exhilarating air, the scent of flowers and finally the rolling, billowing ocean fill up the mind with a treasure house of delight. Health and good cheer abound. I am employed by the Burlington route to help you plan your trip. If you write to me I'll be glad to give you the latest information about the best places to go, and the easiest way to get there. You can go by your choice of either northern or central routes and come back a different way. I'll take all the little details off your mind, engage you a choice berth, buy your tickets and deliver them to you and make sure that you are comfortable the whole way. Reduced fares start June 1st. It is best to get ready early. Have me send you our finely illustrated booklet telling all about California and the coast country. A postal will bring you a copy. Alex Stocks, New England Pass. Agt., C. B. & Q. R. R. Co., 261 Washington street, Boston.

GENERAL GRANT DEAD

He Passed Away Suddenly in New York

NEW YORK, April 12.—General Frederick Dent Grant, commander of the department of the east and son of the Civil war general died suddenly at midnight at the Hotel Buckingham, where he had been secretly taken on Wednesday evening by his physicians. His presence in this city was not known until the news that he had been suddenly stricken was flashed to newspaper offices by the police. A policeman stationed near the hotel had called an ambulance at the request of an employe who told him that General Grant was choking to death.

Although there had been rumors of General Grant's illness and reports that he would never again take up his duties on Governor's Island today's news came as a distinct shock. General Grant had been suffering for some time from heart disease, it is said.

Recent reports that General Grant had been in a private pavilion in St. Luke's hospital in this city suffering from a cancerous growth under the tongue, the same affection which caused the death of his distinguished father, were denied today by the hospital authorities.

Mrs. Grant was with her husband when he died. A nurse was the only other person with her. Drs. Abbe and Dench, his physicians, were late in arriving.

The first intimation that General Grant's condition had suddenly become serious was given when Mrs. Grant telephoned to the hotel clerk about 11.45 o'clock.

"The general's son is dying," she said hysterically. "Get a doctor quickly."

She said he had been seized by a choking spell.

The clerk made an effort to get Dr. Abbe on the telephone. Failing in this he sent a bellboy to the doctor's home.

The boy's running along the street caused Officer Malloy to inquire the reason.

"Gen grant is choking to death; get a doctor," was the response.

Officer Malloy turned in an ambulance call but before the hospital surgeon could arrive Drs. Abbe and Dench had reached the bedside.

The ambulance surgeon and the policeman who went to the apartments were told that there was nothing he could do. Dr. Abbe informed Coroner Holzhauser that he would file a death certificate promptly and that no inquest would be necessary.

A score of newspaper men reached the Buckingham shortly after 12 o'clock in response to the police flash that General Grant was dying. At first efforts were made by the attendants to deny that General Grant was at the hotel, although he was already dead at the time. The management was finally persuaded to communicate with the physicians who announced that General Grant had died before their arrival. Dr. Abbe and Dench later sent down to the hotel management a statement in which they said: "General Grant died suddenly of heart failure without premonition at midnight. He had retired at 11 o'clock apparently in better condition than for several weeks. Since his recent trip his physical condition had given no special anxiety to his physicians. General Grant had been suffering from diabetes and the attendant digestive disturbances, which seemed, however, to be perfectly under control. This sudden fatal termination came as a great surprise."

Lieut. Marian Howze, personal aid to the general, announced this morning that Mrs. Grant was bearing the shock with unusual fortitude. She directed that messages be sent to Gen. Grant, Captain U. S. Grant, 3rd, of the engineering corps in Washington, and to his daughter, the Princess Cantacuzene, as well as to other relatives.

For more than a month past General Grant's whereabouts has been a mystery. Following the announcement that he had been granted a four months' leave of absence, expiring June 1, reports were current that an illness believed by many to be cancer of the throat had caused his temporary retirement. These were repeatedly denied at Governors Island, where it was stated repeatedly that General Grant had simply gone south for a rest. Despatches from Tampa, Fla, last week stated that he was at the winter home of Mrs. Potter Palmer of Chicago, a sister of Mrs. Grant.

The report that Gen. Grant was in St. Luke's hospital in this city for operative treatment became public Wednesday and while not officially confirmed was widely credited.

The management of the Buckingham, a quiet little hotel on Fifth avenue, stated this morning that he had been told that General Grant had come directly to the hotel in an automobile from St. Luke's. The patient was apparently at that time in good health and spirits and walked from the automobile to the elevator unassisted.

General Grant's death vacates the post which, next to that of chief of staff, is regarded as the most important in the army, commander-in-chief of the great eastern division. This position is of such importance that it cannot long be permitted to remain vacant; hence it is probable that very soon after the funeral it will be necessary to detail an officer of high rank for the position, probably Major General Carter, now assistant chief of staff. General Carter was the commander of the famous maneuvre division in Texas last year and has been slated for detail as commander-in-chief of the department of the lakes, with headquarters at Chicago. It is believed that this program will be abandoned in view of the present emergency.

OVERCOME BY THE NEWS

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 12.—U. S. Grant, Jr., for years a resident of this city, denied himself to all visitors early today when he received the news of the death of his brother, Major General Fred Grant. It was learned that probably neither Mr. Grant nor members of his family would go east to attend the funeral. Mr. Grant's health has been unsatisfactory of late.

GENERAL KEARNEY

TO BE BURIED IN THE NATIONAL CEMETERY

NEW YORK, April 12.—The body of Major General Phil Kearney, which has lain for half a century in Trinity churchyard, was placed aboard a Pennsylvania railroad train at Jersey City today for Washington, en route to its last resting place in the national cemetery at Arlington. It is due to reach Washington at 1 o'clock. The flag-draped coffin was taken early in the forenoon from the rotunda of the city hall, where it lay in state since yesterday guarded by a dozen Grand Army veterans on a caisson through the streets to the ferry under the escort of a battalion of infantry and a handful of the survivors of the dead general's command.

Tripletoe HOSIERY

Men's Children's Women's

Silk-Lisle HOSIERY

A DEALER THE PUBLIC BELIEVES IN

Said in an advertisement of his hosiery department:

"We recommend 'Tripletoe' Hosiery to our customers as they are made from the very best quality of Silk Lisle yarn that can be spun.

"The toes and heels are made of four threads of the same yarn that is used in the body of the hose, which is the best wearing material made."

This he said, because he knew it to be true.

"Tripletoes" come in all weights from the heavy first resisters to the most sheer light Summer ankle coolers. Men's, women's, youngsters, 25c. at your dealers.

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BORDEN'S

Evaporated Milk

(Peerless Brand Unsweetened)

is the best milk you can use for creamed fish, chicken, beef, etc. You don't have to cook it so long—water has already been evaporated, leaving it thick, rich and creamy.

Fine for coffee and tea—everything you use milk or cream for.

Three sizes. All grocers. Order today.

Borden's Condensed Milk Co.

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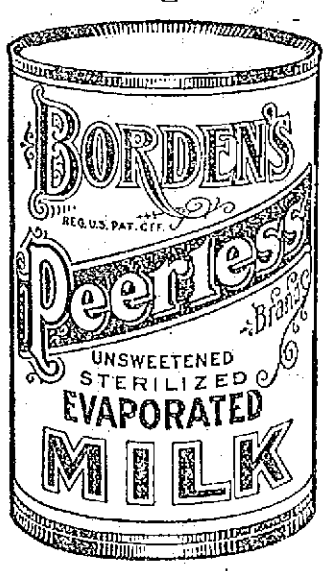
Makers of the famous Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk.

Geo. Wm. Bentley Co., N. E. Selling Agents, 152 State St., Boston



COAL

To those of our customers who have not coal enough to carry them until summer prices prevail, we are daily delivering the best grades at these prices:

W. A. COAL, Broken, Egg and Stove, Per Ton	$8.00
W. A. COAL No. 1 Nut, Per Ton	$8.25
OLD COMPANY'S LEHIGH COAL, Per Ton	$8.50
JEDDO LEHIGH COAL, Per Ton	$8.50
ORENDA STEAM COAL, Per Ton	$6.00
CANNEL COAL, Per Ton	$10.00
OLD COMPANY'S LEHIGH BOULETS, Per Ton	$6.50
HARD WOOD, Sawed and Split, Cord	$8.00
PINE WOOD, Sawed and Split, Cord	$7.00

William E. Livingston Co.

TALBOT'S

Stove Pipe Enamel	15c
Screen Enamel	15c
Interior Enamel, qt	70c
Bath Tub Enamel, pt	80c
Granite Floor Paint, qt	50c
Carriage Paint, qt	85c
Varno Lac, qt	75c
Floor Wax, lb	45c
Spar Varnish, pt	65c
Liquid Granite, qt	85c
Luxberry Finish, qt	85c
Household Varnish, qt	50c
Acme Quality Paints, gal.	$2.00
Liquid Veneer	50c
Bed Bug Destroyer, pt	20c
Roach Food	15c, 25c
Hydrogen Peroxide	15c
Globe Metal Polish	10c, 25c
Bronze Powder, oz	10c
Lime Sulphur, gal	50c
Tree Tanglefoot, lb	30c
Sulphur Candles	10c

High Grade Goods

40 Middle St.

FOUR BOYS DROWNED

By the Capsizing of a Boat

LIVERPOOL, O., April 12.—Four boys were drowned early today when a boat in which they were crossing the Ohio river from the West Virginia side capsized 12 miles south of here. A fifth boy was saved. The drowned boys were: Henry Brandt, 20; Earl Brandt, 18; and Hugh Sprout, 18, of Port Homer, O., and Clifford Howard, 17, of Fairview, W. Va.

The five boys attended prayer meeting at Wesley chapel, near New Cumberland, W. Va., last night. Afterward they visited with girl friends until midnight. They set off for home in the boat about 1 a. m.

The accident followed shortly after they pushed away from the shore. The boys were sons of farmers.

Watuppas, Prescott, Miner's, tonight.

FOUND DIAMOND

IT WAS IMBEDDED IN GIRL'S SHOE

WORCESTER, April 12.—Miss Dorothy B. Durkee of 10 Perkins street, a student at the State Normal school, has found a diamond embedded in the leather sole of her shoe.

When or how the jewel got there Miss Durkee does not know, but she says she will have the jewel set in a ring, where its brilliancy may be seen to better advantage.

Miss Durkee made the discovery on retiring, when she picked up one of her shoes and noticed something sparkling in the leather.

Dwyer & Co.

PAINTERS, DECORATORS AND PAPER HANGERS

Estimates on all kinds of jobs, large or small, at 170 Appleton street.

You Are SAFE When You Buy at RIKER-JAYNES

Early Spring Sale at RIKER JAYNES

For the Busy Housekeeper

It may surprise you how many housekeepers' aids can be found in a Riker-Jaynes Drug Store.

Things to take the drudgery out of Spring House-cleaning, at the same time purify and brighten up the home. We guarantee that everything we sell in this line is thoroughly dependable.

CLEANING AIDS AND POLISHES

Borax, pound, 9c; 10 pounds, 75c.
Ammonia, lump, pound, 20c.
Salts Tartar, pound, 20c.
Potash or Lye, pound tin 7c.
Green's Mineral Paste, for polishing nickel or silver.
Full 25c box, 11c
Cando Silver Polish, 9c, 15c.
Sal Soda (washing soda), pound, 5c; 10 pounds, 35c.
Electro Silicon, 9c.
Putz Pomade, 5c, 9c, 15c.
Liquid Veneer, furniture polish, 19c, 39c, 79c.
Marvel Metal Polish (for brass and copper), 23c.
Household Ammonia, 10c.
Sapolio and Bon Ami, 7c.
Fels Naphtha and Ivory Soap, 4c, 4 for 15c.

LIKE THE JEWELERS DO IT

Ever think how the jewelers cleaned their gold and silver? They use Jeweler's Rouge. Cleans and polishes without scratching. One manufacturer has just succeeded in saturating a good sized piece of flannel cloth with this rouge, making its use extremely convenient. It is called the Dayngle Cloth and we consider it a boon to housewives, 23c.

DISINFECTANTS, GERMICIDES, Etc.

Jaynes' Disinfectant, colorless and odorless, large bottle, 25c.

Jaynes' Germicide, delightful odor to be sprayed about for purifying and refreshing atmosphere, complete with atomizer, 79c.

Thymoline, thousands of gallons of this very effective and inexpensive coal tar disinfectant sold every year. Pint bottle, 25c; quart bottle, 42c; full gallon, $1.00.

Carbolic Acid Crystals, pound bottle, 39c.

Brimstone or Powdered Sulphur, pound, 8c; 10 lbs., for 50c.

Formaldehyde, pint bottle, 25c.

Copperas, pound, 3c.

Chloride Lime, pound, sifter-top can, 10c.

Sulphur Candles, simple and safe, large, 15c; dozen, $1.70.

Platt's Chlorides, 50c size, 37c.

Hubbard's Germicide, complete, 79c.

Sulpho, Napthol, 50c size, 29c; 75c size, 43c; $1.00 size, 53c.

Egyptian Deodizer, 25c size, 19c.

Family Remedies

Spring Tonics, Laxatives, Headache, Dyspepsia, Cough and Rheumatic Remedies. About every advertised preparation. Some the most recent—others used 3 generations back. It is truly said that if you can't get it at Riker-Jaynes it is hardly worth while trying anywhere else. For over 65 years we have sustained the reputation of carrying the most complete stock, and if we sell it, it's sure to be at a cut price as a matter of course.

Allcock's Plasters, 20c size, 11c.
Antiphlogestine, 50c size, 39c.
Angier's Emulsion, 50c size, 39c.
Atwood's Bitters, 25c size, 17c.
Beecham's Pills, 25c size, 17c.
Bell's Papayans, 75c size, 57c.
Bliss' Native Herbs, $1.00 size, 69c.
Bromo-Seltzer, 50c size, 33c.
Cal. Syrup of Figs, 50c size, 34c.
Calocide Compound, 25c size, 16c.
Carter's Pills, 25c size, 14c.
Cascarets, 25c size, 19c.
Castoria, 35c size, 23c.
Cauthroxy 50c size, 33c.
Clapp's Malt and Oil, 75c size, 49c.
Diamond Dyes, 10c size, 7c.
Dinpepsin, 50c size, 31c.
Doan's Kidney Pills, 50c size, 39c.

Excelsior Hair Dye. With each $1 bottle at 93c during this sale we will give free two wooden handle bristle brushes for application.

Father John's Medicine, $1.00 size, 66c.
Fellows' Syrup, $1.00 size, 67c; $1.50 size, 99c.
Hill's Cascara Quinine, 25c size, 15c.
Hood's Sarsaparilla, $1.00 size, 79c.
Herpicide, $1.00 size, 65c.
Hilton's Specific, 50c size, 33c.
Bromo Quinine, 25c size, 16c.
Minard's Liniment, 25c size, 17c.
Mother Sills Seasick Rem., 50c size, 43c.
Nelson's Gelatine Loz., 25c size, 17c.
Omega Oil, 50c size, 33c.
Orangeine, 50c size, 33c.
Gude's Peptomangan, $1.00 size, 77c.
Peruna, $1.00 size, 67c.
Philipps' Milk Magnesia, 50c size, 39c.
Russell's Emulsion, $1.00 size, 74c.
Scott's Emulsion, $1.00 size, 66c.
Sal Hepatica, 50c size, 39c.
Sanford's Ginger, 50c size, 28c.
Schenck's Pills, 25c size, 17c.
Sloan's Lin., 25c size, 19c.
Swamproot, $1.00 size, 66c.
Tuttle's Elixir, 50c size, 36c.
Wampole's Cod Liver Oil, $1.00 size, 66c.
Williams' Pink Pills, 50c size, 35c.
Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, 50c size, 39c.

A Sale of Riker's Tooth Powder

AND SEPTONE SOAP FREE!

Until April 20 with each can of that perfect dentifrice, RIKER'S ANTISEPTIC TOOTH POWDER, you will receive FREE a miniature bottle of RIKER'S SEPTONE SHAMPOO SOAP. Price of the powder is 15c, and you will be delighted with the combination.

The Old Adage—

an ounce of prevention, etc.

Just a little effort, a little time taken with your Winter clothing just now will save regret and moth holes in the Fall.

JAYNES' CEDAR LAVENDER COMPOUND

The eminently successful preparation for over 10 years. Just a clean mixture of fragrant Lavender Flowers, pungent chips of Red Cedar and tiny crystals of Napthaline. Not a moth killer but positively keeps them away. Large box, 15c.

GUM CAMPHOR, Best Japanese—1 pound, in tin, 53c.

CEDARIZED BAGS

Made of very tough manilla paper, strongly odorized with cedar. Clothes are hung up in these bags, thereby obviating the necessity of folding or creasing. In 3 sizes—24x37, 49c; 30x50, 59c; 30x60, 73c.

Steeping the Herbs

How many of us can recollect the days when grandmother or auntie would gather those magic herbs and steep for us those wonderful concoctions we had to drink at this season of the year for cleansing the blood and purging the system? True enough, modern materia medica has evolved preparations just as efficacious and far more palatable, but many still use these same herbs. Our variety of all drugs is most complete and our immense business absolutely insures you fresh, active herbs, drugs and chemicals, and all at the lowest possible prices.

Sarsaparilla, Mexican, lb., 45c.
Sarsaparilla, Honduras, lb., 60c.
Yellow Dock, lb., 25c.
Dandelion, lb., 33c.
Cascara, lb., 25c.
Red Clover, 1-2 lb., 19c.
Scullcap, lb., 40c.
Burdock, lb., 25c.
Elecampane, lb., 36c.
Gentian, lb., 20c.
Buchu, per ounce, 10c.
Senna Leaves, lb., 35c.
Senna Pods, lb., 40c.

and more than 200 other varieties of Roots, Herbs, Barks, Leaves and Flowers.

Bug Destroyers

All the advertised preparations, such as Peterman's, Columbian Insecticide, Barnard's Paste, Magic Fluid, Rough on Rats, Rat Biskit, Rat Corn, Martin's, etc., at lowest cut prices, as well as some guaranteed preparations, made in our own laboratories for the extermination of all household pests and vermin.

A FEW MORE EXAMPLES OF OUR LOW DRUG PRICES

Silicate Soda (liquid glass), quart can, 38c.
Glycerine, pound bottle, 29c.
Sugar Milk, pound, 25c.
Lime Water, quart bottle, 15c.
Bland's Pills, per 100, 12c.
Denatured Alcohol, quart, 25c.
Sulphur and Cream Tartar, pound, 20c.

SPRING TABLETS
Sulphur and Cream of Tartar Tablets, large box, 15c.
Witch Hazel (Double distilled and made from young twigs. The cheapest Witch Hazel, quality considered), full quart, 38c.
Peroxide Hydrogen, lb., 19c.
Fluid Extract Cascara, 4-oz. bottle, 33c.

The Month for Spring Tonics

We break away from close confinement indoors, we begin to discard our heavy, stuffy clothes. The spirit of "out-of-doors" is upon us, but—there seems to be something not just right—a languid, lazy feeling—no appetite. No question about it, what you need is a good reliable tonic and we guarantee Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic to give satisfaction or money refunded. 2 sizes, 60c. and $1.00.

April.

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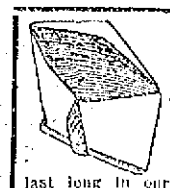
A Dangerous Practice

We refer to the habit of shaving your corn; at best it gives relief for a few days only. JAYNES' CORN REMOVER is warranted. Just follow directions very closely and you can pick the entire corn out without pain. Per bottle, 15c.



FREE PAPER DRINKING CUPS

100,000 Finback Paper Drinking Cups will be given away free while they last to our customers. The supply will not last long in our 20 stores and to get one you must therefore ask the clerk for it.

20 Stores in New England. Shop at the Nearest

We give Legal Trading Stamps.

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RIKER-JAYNES DRUG STORES

You are SAFE when you buy at Riker-Jaynes

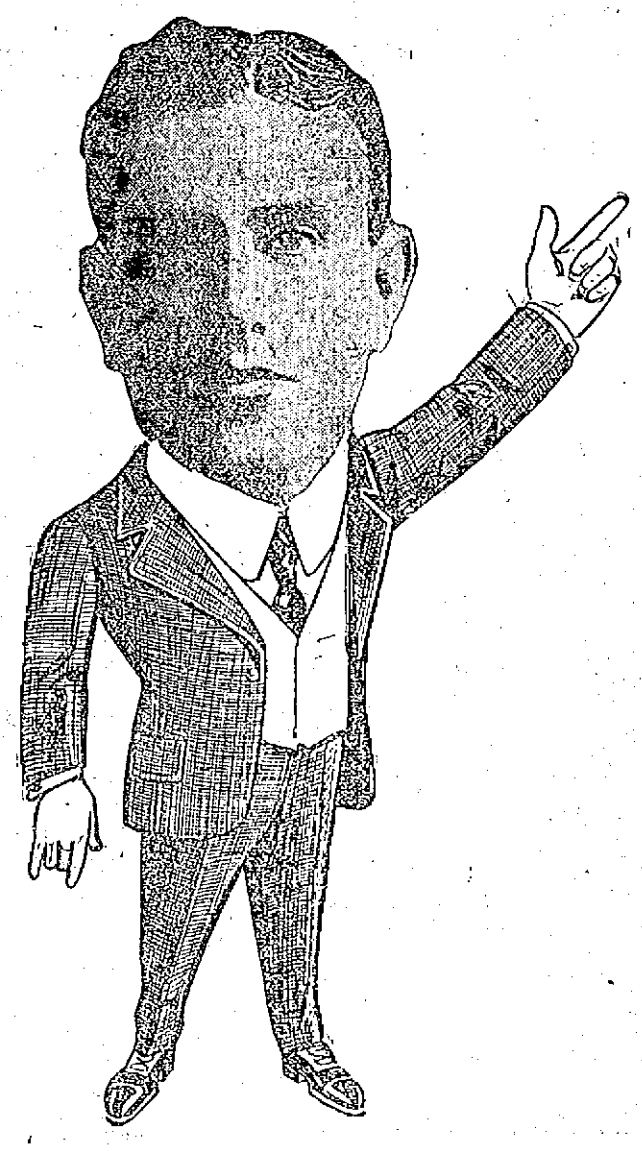
SPECIAL

Fruit and Nut Nuget

Something new in candy. Must be tried to be appreciated. Four flavors.

29c lb., 15c ½ lb.

A DISADVANTAGE



In the crude unscientific manner of a tailor, I have to make my advertising appeal to the people in the best way that my homely training permits. In a lifetime given over to cutting and to cloth, it is only natural that I should suffer a disadvantage when I go up against these high priced advertising experts employed by most merchants today.

When I see the wonderful success of this hurrah they work up, and then when I stop to see the materials at their disposal and the tremendous prices they have to get from the people for those materials, my admiration goes out to the professional advertiser. I know I can sell the same merchandise anywhere from $5 to $10 less than they get---but I suppose that's why their employers pay them big salaries. I have the goods, I have the low prices---the other fellows have the fancy advertising men and the marvel of the times is that it takes all my merchandise advantage to to keep up with them. I ought to be swamping them, values alone considered.

Friday and Saturday

I Offer the People An Opportunity to Obtain

Custom Clothing at

AFTER EASTER CUT PRICES

SHERRIFF WORSTEDS
STANDISH WORSTEDS
WANSKUK SERGES

After Easter Special

MADE TO ORDER

$12.00

If some of the stores in this city could deliver these values their professional advertising men would pack the building like an old-time caucus. High grade materials, rock bottom prices, ought to be more attractive than a dozen advertising writers.

I tell you I don't get all the business my prices are entitled to, and when I say that I know you are aware that I do a big business. That's all right, at my prices I ought to do it and I ought to do a great deal more.

MITCHELL, The TAILOR

24 Central St., Lowell

OPEN EVENINGS TILL 9

CAT GAVE ALARM

Two Lives Saved at Fire in Boston

BOSTON, April 12.—The pitiful cries of a pet cat awakened John Borzarkian to discover that his fruit store and home at 722 Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge, was on fire, and undoubtedly the cat saved the lives of both Borzarkian and Sarah Cadian, who works in the store and rooms at the house.

The cat calls came early yesterday morning, and Borzarkian found that his store on the first floor was doomed and that the flames were shooting through the floor of the tenement.

By the time the fire department had arrived Sarah Cadian was overcome by smoke and fear. Ladderman McArthur of ladder 2 found her on the floor of her room after he had broken in the window, and with the assistance of Capt. McNamee carried her down the ladder. She was taken to the Cambridge Relief hospital, but is not considered in a dangerous condition.

The store and tenement were both badly damaged and the loss is probably over $1000. The property, which is situated near the Prospect Union building, is owned by Dr. A. P. Norris.

PARDONED CASHIER

WHO PLEADED GUILTY TO MAKING FALSE ENTRIES

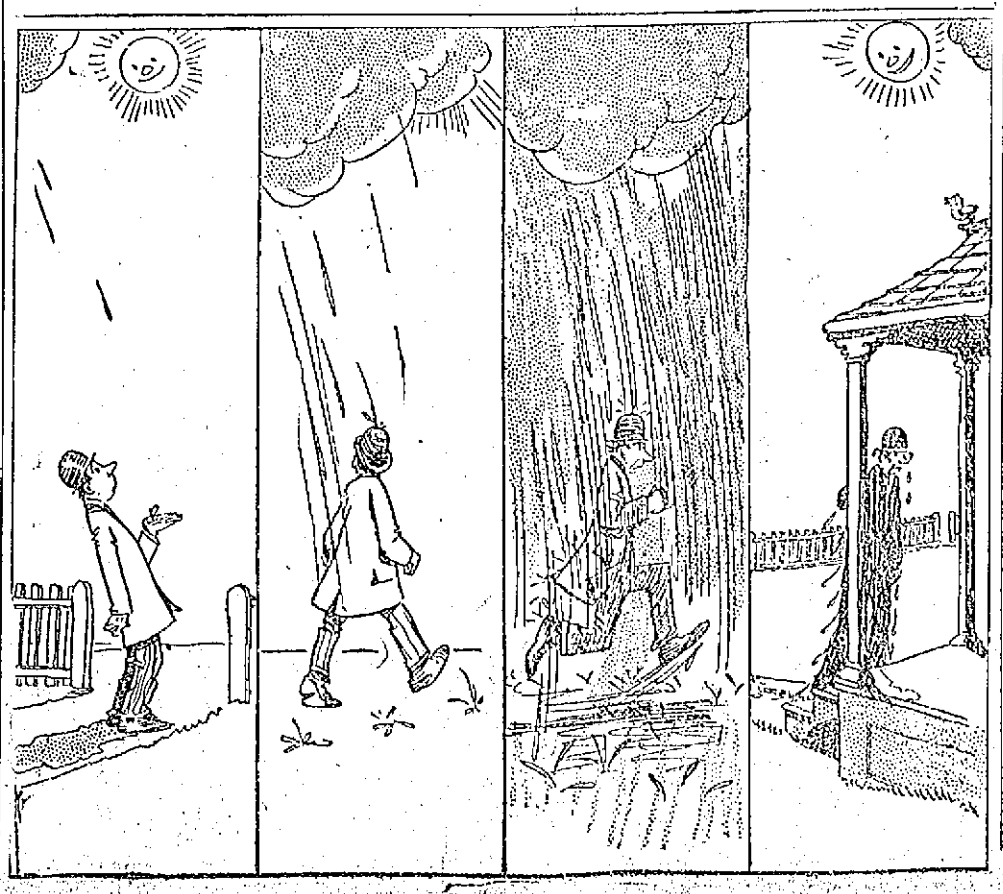
WASHINGTON, April 12.—President Taft yesterday pardoned John R. Wilks, convicted of making false entries in the books of the First National bank of Brantley, Ala. of which he was cashier.—

Wilks' case presented a problem unprecedented in President Taft's administration. He had not served a day in prison for the offense to which he pleaded guilty five years ago, and Judge Thomas G. Jones, before whom he was tried at Montgomery, Ala., declined to pronounce sentence because of extenuating circumstances surrounding the case.

"The judge said he believed he would be killing a soul by penitentiary sentence. Wilks pleaded guilty May 17, 1907, and the judge released him on bail.

In indorsing his application for pardon, Judge Jones said Wilks had been an exemplary man before the offense and a useful citizen ever since.

FOUR MINUTES IN APRIL



MEXICAN REBELS

Have Occupied the City of Culiacan

TUCSON, Ariz, April 12.—The federal garrison of 400 at Culiacan, capital of the state of Sinaloa, was reported in a despatch received here last night as being ready to evacuate upon the demand of a vastly superior number of rebels under General Fiahco.

The rebels agreed, the despatch stated, to enter the capital without bloodshed if given 25,000 pesos. The amount was quickly raised by the citizens and turned over to the rebel leader, who is reported as being very popular in Culiacan and vicinity.

When the actual occupation of the city by the rebels occurred was not stated.

N. E. INVESTMENT CO.

A meeting of the directors of the N. E. Investment Co., of which there are a large number of stockholders in this city, was held recently in Manchester, N. H., and the resignation of Mr. Eugene Quirin, a director, was accepted. Mr. Quirin has resigned for the reason that he is returning to France, and Mr. John T. Levasseur of Manchester, N. H., was elected to fill his place. Another director in the person of Mr. Telesphore Gaborieau of Salem, Mass., was chosen.

M. E. CONFERENCE

SPRINGFIELD, April 12.—Election of delegates to the general conference at Minneapolis and other business promised to make this the busiest day of the annual session of the New England Methodist Episcopal conference. While the conference was choosing the ministerial delegates, the lay electoral conference was selecting the lay delegates. The question of memorializing the general conference to provide a plan for the admission of laymen to membership in the annual conferences, such membership not to include participation in questions of a ministerial character or in the election of ministerial delegates to the general conference was considered by the lay conference.

Bishop William Burt of Zurich, Switzerland, the presiding bishop, delivered an address on "Our Work in Europe."

The evening events will be a Boston university supper, with President Marlin of the university as toastmaster, and the anniversary of the Sunday school board.

Special For Saturday

Just 500 Bunches of Beautiful

PANSIES

TOO BEAUTIFUL FOR DESCRIPTION

Large Bunches, conveniently boxed: **19c**

COME EARLY!

HALL & LYON CO.

67-69 MERRIMACK STREET

Take One Pain Pill, then—Take it Easy.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills

will help you, as they have helped others.

Good for all kinds of pain. Used to relieve Neuralgia, Headache, Nervousness, Rheumatism, Sciatica, Kidney Pains, Lumbago, Locomotor Ataxia, Backache, Stomachache, Carsickness, Irritability and for pain in any part of the body.

"I have always been subject to neuralgia and have suffered from it for years. While visiting my son and suffering from one of the old attacks, he brought me a box of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. I used them as directed and after taking them it was the first time in years the neuralgia ceased from the use of medicine." MRS. E. C. HOWARD, 402 Greene St., Dowagiac, Mich.

At all druggists. 25 doses 25c. e MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

RECALL OF JUDGES

Pres. Taft Says Many Advocates of it Are Demagogues

NEW YORK, April 12.—President Taft charged last night that many of those persons who advocate the recall of judges or the recall of judicial decisions are insincere demagogues, acting without sufficient knowledge of the need for preservation of the constitution or its guarantees.

Some of the men who preach the recall, he said, were sincere but all of them acted from a desire to propose changes rather than with any definite plan for the improvement of conditions.

The president was speaking to the Union League club of New York. He mentioned no names, but announced with emphasis that the "sensitive nerve" of the serious-minded people of the country had been touched by these proposals and that when they realized that "impious hands were likely to be laid upon the Ark of the Covenant," the judicial branch of the government, a profound protest was heard from "all thinking people."

Mr. Taft came to New York last night to keep two engagements. The first was with fellow members of the class of Yale, '78, at the University club; the other with the Union League club, which recently announced its indorsement of his candidacy.

Change for Sake of Change

In his Union League club speech President Taft said in part:

"The necessity that there was for arousing our people to prevent the abuses of corporate privilege and power and to wrest from concentrated wealth the exercise of political control and the success that had attended such agitation among the people has been taken advantage of by persons, some of them sincere, some of them demagogues and all of them with an insufficient knowledge of the necessity in the maintenance of liberty and progress, of our constitution and its guaranties, to propose changes, rather for the sake of change than with any definite plan of improving the body politic.

"Because courts have not manifested as quick perception of the advantages to be realized from these proposed changes, and in some instances have perhaps unduly broadened constitutional restrictions to declare them invalid, it is proposed to change the whole nature of our judical system and render it subject to popular review, either by what is called the recall of the judges when their conduct on the bench is not approved by a majority of the voting electorate, or by a recall of decisions and a reversal of the judgment of the judges whenever they declare invalid a legislative enactment which they deem to be in violation of the fundamental law.

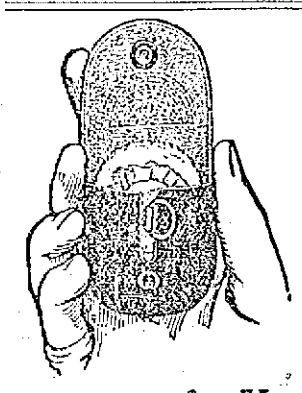
All Thinking People Protest

"It was not until the sensitive nerve of the serious-minded people of this country was touched by the proposition to recall the judges or to recall their decisions that such people of all classes began to realize that impious hands were likely to be laid upon the ark of the covenant, which is independence of the judicial branch of our government. A profound protest was heard from all thinking people against the proposal.

"I am here tonight to express my satisfaction that the members of this club have felt it to be their duty to express to the public at large their sense of the crisis through which our institutions are passing and the necessity for guarding as we would our liberty and everything that we hold dear in our homes and our life against the innovations that are so recklessly advocated by men who profess to be acting in the interest of reform and progress.

"They fail to recognize or appreciate the benefits of our present civilization and do not seem to understand that the progress already made in this great country of ours from its small beginnings has been due to the constitutional principles upon which this government was framed 125 years ago and has been maintained ever since.

"In this contest for the preservation of our ancient landmarks of government and for the security of life, liberty and property involved in the maintenance of an independent judiciary, we may from time to time suffer a temporary defeat, but those of us, and they are most of us, who have an abiding faith in the judgment and good sense of the American people may well have confidence that in the end the real benefit of the people will prevail and that they will defend and protect these institutions that have served them so long and so well."



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BOARD OF DOCTORS

Condemned Somerville High School

BOSTON, April 12.—At the meeting of the Somerville board of aldermen last evening a communication was received from a committee of the Somerville Medical society condemning the sanitary conditions of the Somerville High school buildings.

"Not only as citizens interested in the general welfare, but especially as conservators of public health, we feel that in some way an immediate improvement in general hygienic conditions in the High school is imperative," the committee said in part. "Fresh air and adequately ventilated rooms are essential to health. These the pupils do not get.

"The frequent climbing of stairs made necessary by congested conditions may and does work serious injury to pupils, especially to girls. The compulsory afternoon session with its irregular and inconvenient lunch hours, and compelling the almost continuous artificial light, is decidedly unhygienic and should in some way be rendered needless. The damp and ill-lighted basement rooms, which are used for manual training, lunch rooms and other purposes, have nothing but unwise economy to recommend them."

BIG MEETING

OF FORMER PUPILS OF ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE

The meeting of the former pupils of St. Joseph's college which had been scheduled for next Sunday at 2 o'clock in the college hall, was postponed to Sunday, April 21, because a large number of local members of L'Union St. Jean Baptiste d'Amerique wish to attend the meeting of District council No. 5 of the said Union, which will be held in Amesbury, Sunday.

However the meeting which will be held on April 21, will be of the most importance and every member of l'Association des Anciens Eleves du College St. Joseph, or those desiring to join, are expected to be present. The meeting will be held at 2 o'clock and a number of important questions relative to the first convention which will be held on August 15, will be brought before the meeting for discussion.

The board of directors of the association has formulated its plans for the first annual meeting and the said plans will be the topic of discussion. A very important question which will come before the meeting is that of an entry fee of $5, after the first annual meeting for anyone who will join, excepting the boys graduating from the school each year.

ANNUAL DINNER

FOR CHILDREN OF FRENCH AMERICAN ORPHANAGE

The children of the French American orphanage were given a fine treat a few days ago, when the members of St. Joseph's sewing circle of St. Joseph's parish gave them their annual dinner. The affair generally was held on New Year's day, but this year it was postponed until this week, and the children were well repaid for the delay.

The repast consisted of turkey and fixings, and many good things which would make more than one sick with envy. The meal was served in the spacious dining room of the orphanage, the members of the circle being in attendance.

Mrs. Charles H. Poisvert who is president of the circle was assisted by a score of women who supplied a fine day of enjoyment for the little ones of the institution.

The production of "Le Forgeron de Strasbourg" which was to be given next Wednesday and Thursday for the benefit of the French American orphanage by a group of young men from St. Joseph's parish under the direction of Rev. Henri Watelle, O. M. I., pastor, was postponed until May 15 and 16, on account of the present strike. The affair will be held in St. Joseph's college hall.

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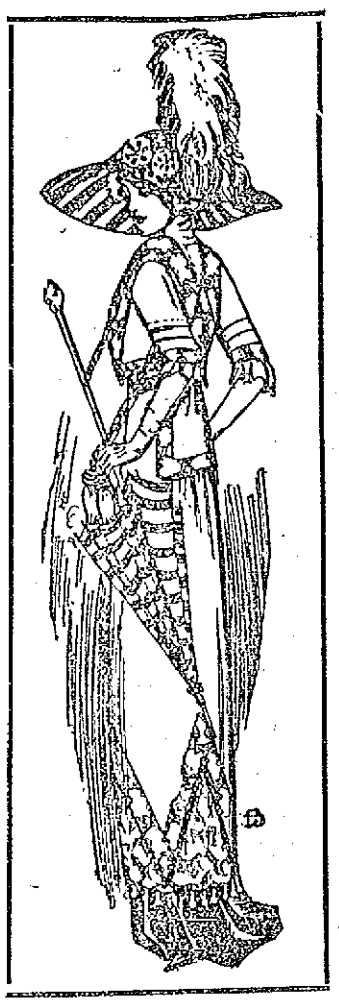

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Women's Silk Lisle Hose, double tops, Onyx black, spliced heels, 50c pair

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Women's Gauze Mercerized Hose (Lady Broadway) elastic top, fast black and seamless ..... 25c pair

Women's Silk Lisle Hose, garter tops, double soles ..... 25c pair

Economy Hosiery for children, 4-thread heels and toes, 12 1-2c pair

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Men's Silk Lisle Half Hose, all colors ..... 19c and 25c pair

Men's Fine Cotton Hose, double soles ..... 12c and 15c pair

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N. H. SPENCER,
West Brattleboro, Vt.

For 4 years I have been a great sufferer from organic trouble. At last I had to suffer an operation which nearly resulted in insanity. No one knows what my condition was when I went to Prof. Wilkins for treatment. He told me my condition in less than five minutes and gave me more relief in one half hour than the doctors with their knives and medicines have done in four years. I can't say enough for what Prof. Wilkins has done for me but it will be a pleasure to tell any sufferer what I cannot put in print. I am happy to say I am a well man today and I owe it all to Prof. Wilkins and his wonderful healing power.

Respectfully yours,
F. S. ROBINSON,
Centerville, Brattleboro, Vt.

Seven years ago I first discovered I had cataracts on both eyes and my condition was growing worse until my sight was so impaired I could not read or do any work that required eyes to see what I was doing. I went to Prof. Wilkins in February '05 for treatment. He told me he could remove the cataracts without any operation of medicine.

It was hard to believe but I took him at his word and he has done just as he agreed. Today my eyes are free from cataracts, my sight is as good as I could reasonably expect for a man of my years and I feel I am improving daily. Prof. Wilkins has proved himself a man in every respect and I must say he has done wonders for me. If you want to know more come and see me for yourself.

Respectfully submitted,
A. N. JOHNSON,
West Brattleboro, Vt.

Prof. Wilkins has treated me, as well as my wife. I could not sit down in a chair or on my milking stool before I the treated and I had not put on my stockings or shoes alone in years. I am glad to tell the public today that I can do all these things without help and I have not had such health and strength in years. I am 82 years old and Prof. Wilkins has made me feel like a young man.

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SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Division 23, A. O. H., was held last night in Hibernian hall, President Patrick J. McCann in the chair. Several propositions were received and referred to the investigating committee. Ten new members were initiated.

Brother Edward F. Slattery, treasurer, submitted the quarterly report which showed the division to be in good financial condition. Several important communications were received and acted upon. President Patrick J. McCann spoke at length on the good work accomplished by the members during the past year and was glad to know that the members realized that all that was necessary to increase the membership was the individual work of the members. After the meeting adjourned a social entertainment was enjoyed with remarks by Ed. F. Slattery and M. D. Sullivan; songs by Daniel F. Rourke, James E. Sullivan, H. Talty and Thomas McCarty.

Royal Arcanum

The members of Highland council, Royal Arcanum, met in regular session last night. Routine business was transacted after which the council entertained the ladies at whist. The prize winners were as follows:

Ladies' first, vase, Mrs. Hugh Walker; second, umbrella, Mrs. J. McAdams; third, clock, Mrs. H. Rouse; gentlemen's first, W. J. Carey; second, Dr. J. T. Eyers, third, Mr. Brown.

At the next meeting, the council will again extend open house to the ladies, and a glee club concert will be given for their benefit.

Ladies of G. A. R.

Ladd and Whitney circle, 8, Ladies of G. A. R., met in regular session Wednesday evening, Josie Blaisdell, president, in the chair. One application was received and referred to a committee for investigation, and one new member was initiated. Ella F. Gardner, treasurer, read a very interesting paper about the 46th annual encampment, G. A. R., which was held in Boston, April 2 and 3.

Preceding the meeting was the regular supper and social hour, a larger attendance of members than usual being present, with several guests. The next meeting will be held April 24.

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THREE SHOTS FIRED

At Henry Harvey of West Warren, N. H., Last Night

WARREN, N. H., April 12.—Three shots were fired at Henry Harvey, a local merchant, by two men who had demanded money of him at a lonely spot two miles south of this village late last night. One bullet whizzed close by his head, another grazed his shoulder and the third struck the carriage in which he was driving home from a dance. Harvey whipped up his horse and got away safely. He was unable to get a good view of the men but it is believed that they were tramps. The scene of the attempted holdup is near the railroad track and the men are supposed to have jumped a freight train later, as two men were seen stealing a freight ride a few miles north of here early today.

LOSS IS $175,000

100 Families Made Homeless by Fire at East Hartford

EAST HARTFORD, Conn., April 12.—Over a hundred families were rendered homeless and damage estimated at about $175,000 wrought by a fire which started shortly after midnight here and burned out about 15 buildings before it was brought under control three hours later. The fire started in the saw mill and lumber yard of Henry Cairns and spread from there to three big tenement blocks and several dwellings. The flames threatened at one time to sweep through a greater part of the center and it required the united efforts of the East Hartford and the Hartford fire departments to subdue it. The breaking down of the electric light wires and the flying of sparks and fire brands over a radius of nearly a quarter of a mile added to the spectacular side of the blaze. Occupants of the houses in the path of the fire made desperate attempts to get their household effects out before the fire reached them and in some cases were successful. The greater part of the families made homeless camped out for the night in fields some distance from the fire scene, while others were taken in by neighbors. Today the homeless ones were cared for.

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FUNERAL NOTICES

LEWIS—The funeral of the late Mrs. Elwilda C. Lewis will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Pentecost church on First street. Friends invited. Undertaker John A. Weinbeck in charge.

WHALEN—The funeral of the late Mrs. Clara Whalen will take place from the home of her husband, Jas., 89 Concord street, Supday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy & Sons of Market street.

CAMPBELL—Died, at the home of her parents, 58 Blossom street, Eleanor L., daughter of Frederick and Daisy Campbell, aged 1 month and 11 days. Besides her father and mother she leaves one brother, Raleigh. The funeral will be held Saturday at three o'clock. Friends invited. Burial private. Undertaker George M. Eastman in charge.

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Men's $15.00 Blue Serge Suits at $12.95

Two and three-button style, made of fine twill, blue serge, alpaca and venetian lined, long roll front, close fitting collar. Pants cut semi-peg with belt loops and unfinished or cuff bottom.

Men's $15 Mixed Cheviot Suits at $12.95

Young men's snappy suits in sizes 31 to 38, made in the new two-button soft roll English model, 31 inches long, semi-fitting. Pants are made with cuff bottom and semi-peg top. A strictly young man's suit.

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AT HARMONY HALL

DELIGHTFUL PROGRAM GIVEN BY MISS GLEASON'S PUPILS

The pupils of Miss Christabel Gleason gave a delightful musical entertainment at Harmony hall, Collinsville, last evening. There was a large attendance and the program was well enjoyed. Miss Gleason was assisted by Ray Chappell, baritone soloist and John Lee, violinist. The work of the pupils was excellent and their grand success reflects great credit on the talented teacher. Miss Gleason also entertained in her usual clever manner and the solos by Mr. Chapell were well given. Mr. Lee on the violin assisted greatly in the success of the entertainment. The other numbers were very good and though it was the wish of the teacher that no encores be responded to, many were obliged to do so. The program was as follows:

"Child's Waltz," .....Mack
Edward Cullinan
"The Harebell," .....Smallwood
Angela Mullin
Reading—Selected,
Ruth Whelton
"Lily of the Valley," .....Smith
Esther Geoffrey
"Children at Play," .....Streating
Mildred Gorman
Song and Dance,
Cecila Crowe
"Rosebud," .....Greenwald
Beatrice Malone
"The Last Rose of Summer,"....Gooch
Francis Cullinan
Reading—Selected,
Bridget Sullivan
"Heather Rose" .....Lange
Marie Dundon
"Lily Bells" .....Smallwood
Mary Brennan
Song—Selected,
Ray Chappell
"Goldfish,"
Mildred Mack
"Blinking Moon," .....Heins
Mary Cullinan
Violin Solo,
John Lee
Accompanist, John Broderick
"The Shepherd's Evening Song," Holler
Bessie Monarzynski
"Maiden's Prayer," .....Badargwska
Paul Upton
"Under the Stars and Stripes," Roosevelt
Edward Lavell
"Vesuvius," ..... Lincoln
Anthony Cullinan
Reading,
Stella Mooney
Duet—"Fra Diavalo," .....Blake
Abbie Kelley and Alice Gleason
"Warblings of the Birds," ....Kimball
Rose Cullinan
"Throwing Kisses,"
Rose Bennett
Song—Selected,
Ray Chappell
"Melody of Love," .....Hoffman
Susie Gorman
"Orange Blossoms," .....Ludovic
Cecila Fogarty
Violin Solo,
John Lee
Accompanist, John Broderick
"Edelweiss Glide," .....Vanderbeck
Isabelle Desmarais
"Moonlight on the Hudson," ..Wilson
Rose Costello
Song—Selected,
Ray Chappell
Reading—Selected,
Alice Gleason
"Festmarch," ..... Wessler
Christabel Gleason

NO SECRET

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DEATHS

WHALEN—Mrs. Clara Whalen, aged 22 years, died yesterday afternoon at the Lowell hospital. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker Molloy and later to the home, 89 Concord street. She is survived by her husband, James of Lowell; her father, Charles Turner; five sisters, the Misses Alice, Anne, Ethel, Emily and Agnes Turner, and one brother, Edward, all of England.

LEWIS—Mrs. Elwilda C. Lewis died yesterday at the Lowel hospital, aged 69 years. She resided at 20 Cambridge street, and was the widow of Winslow Wilson. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker Weinbeck.

DEMOPOULOS—Phanafios Demopoulos, aged 18 years, son of John and Kalcope Demopoulos, died yesterday at the state hospital, Tewksbury. Besides his parents he leaves two brothers. The body was taken to the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

VINCELETTE—Joseph Vincelette, aged 70 years and 5 months, died last night at his late home, 25 Main street. He leaves to mourn his loss, two sons and two daughters, Hormisdas of Lynn and Joseph of this city; Mrs. Joseph Levesque and Miss Marie Louise Vincelette of this city.

HARVARD TEAMS

STARTED ON THEIR SPRING TRIP TODAY

CAMBRIDGE, April 12.—Today was getaway day for the Harvard college baseball, lacrosse and soccer teams, which start for their spring trip to meet colleges in other states. The baseball squad will remain away ten days, opening their southern trip with a game at Baltimore Saturday against Johns Hopkins university. The Catholic university, Georgetown, Baltimore, of the International league and Annapolis are other teams to be played before April 19 when Harvard will play Columbia at New York on the return trip.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY

Minister Shot His Wife and Himself

LONDON, April 12.—A double tragedy was brought about today by another mental brainstorm affecting the Rev. Samuel Henry, the self-styled "messiah" who on Feb. 26 caused a sensation in the house of commons by firing several shots from a revolver at the ceiling of the lobby.

Henry was discovered this morning dying in his home with two revolver bullets in his head, and by his side lay his wife's dead body with the throat cut.

FOR FRECKLED, ROUGH OR SPOTTY COMPLEXIONS

(From The Dermatologist)

The freckling, discoloring or roughening to which delicate skins are subject after exposure to wind or sun, often appearing in spring, may readily be gotten rid of. Mercolized wax, spread lightly over the face before retiring and removed in the morning with soap and water, completely peels off the disfigured skin. Get an ounce of the wax at any druggist's. There's no more effective way of banishing freckles or other cutaneous defects. Little skin particles come off each day, so the process doesn't even temporarily mar the complexion, and one soon acquires a brand new, spotless, girlishly beautiful face.

Wrinkles caused by weather, worry or illness are best treated by a simple solution of powdered saxolite, one ounce, dissolved in a half pint witch hazel. Bathing the face in this produces a truly marvelous transformation.

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TRAINMEN INJURED

Head-on-Collision on the Grand Trunk Road

PORTLAND, Me., April 12.—One trainman was fatally injured, another badly hurt, and two or three others severely bruised in a head-on collision on the Grand Trunk road today between North Stratford and Wentock, N. H.

The collision took place three miles north of North Stratford, when a freight train was running ahead of time. This met a passenger train running south.

The mail car was demolished and the mail was thrown all over the track. The two mail clerks had a narrow escape from being killed. But one of them was severely injured. The brakeman, who is not expected to live, was believed to have been one of the crew of the passenger train.

Reports regarding the seriousness of the wreck were conflicting. A railroad official stated that Engineer Wheeler was not killed and that no one was dead or worse than seriously injured. But from a reliable source it was learned that Engineer Wheeler, though not killed outright had died afterward at Island pond, where all the injured were taken; from the same source it was learned that a brakeman was dying and that one of the mail clerks was critically injured.

A. C. Richardson, of Portland, was Engineer Wheeler's fireman. The crew of the other engine was composed of Engineer Thomas Seymour of Island Pond and Fireman Isaac Colby. The railway mail clerks were A. J. Parent of Island Pond and J. T. Culhane of Gorham, N. H. All five were injured at least slightly.

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CONTEMPT CHARGE

BROUGHT BY FOREMAN OF GRAND JURY

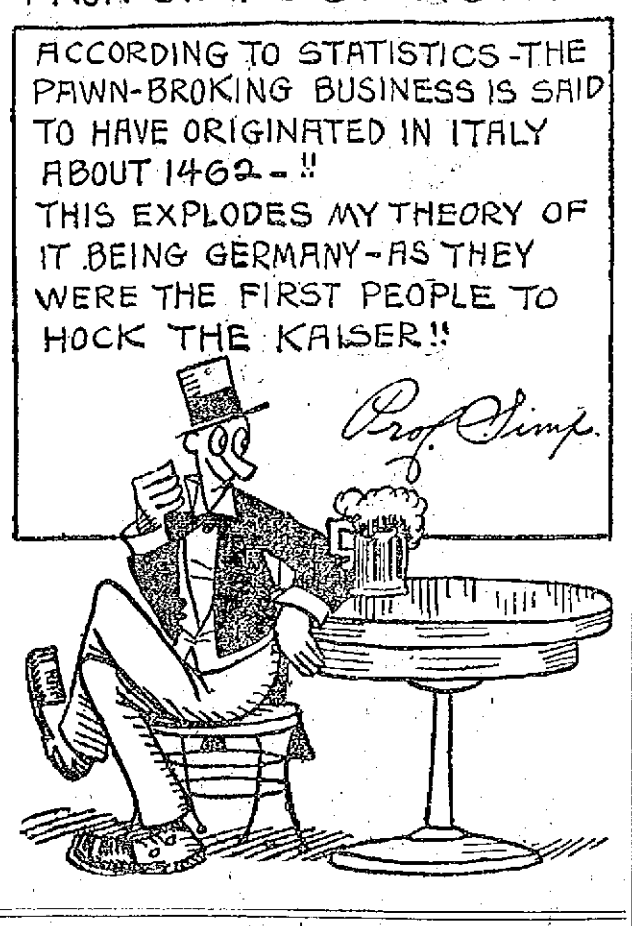
BOSTON, April 12.—Warren B. Wheeler and Stillman Shaw, of Wheeler & Shaw, Inc., and their counsel, Roney Spring, of the firm of Mathews, Thompson & Spring, are charged with contempt in petitions filed in the United States district court yesterday by Asst. United States Dist. Atty. Garland on behalf of the foreman of the grand jury which is investigating the corporation.

The lawyer is charged with refusing to tell the grand jury whether he had the books, records and papers of the corporation, and the other defendants with refusing to produce them.

The defendants claim they are within their legal rights. Judge Dodge will hear the petitions today.

The documents are wanted in connection with the corporation's dealings with the North American Rubber company.

PROF. SIMP'S STATISTICS.



FUNERALS

KOHLRAUSCH—Impressive funeral services were held yesterday afternoon over the body of Charles H. Kohlrausch, one of Billerica's leading citizens, whose death occurred on Tuesday.

The services, which were held in the beautiful and spacious home of the deceased on Elm street, in the North village, in which section of the town Mr. Kohlrausch had spent the greater part of his useful and honorable life, were attended by people of all classes, who came to pay a last small tribute and show a final respect to one whom they loved and admired.

Rev. Harry Lutz, former pastor of the Unitarian church of Billerica, and Rev. Charles H. Williams, Ph. D., pastor of the North Billerica Baptist church, were the officiating clergymen, and each pronounced a touching eulogy on the life of Mr. Kohlrausch. A large delegation from Thomas Talbot lodge, A. F. and A. M., attended, and the solemn Masonic funeral service was impressively conducted by Master Eugene C. Vining and Chaplain J. Harold Dale. There was singing by the Webber male quartet of Boston the following selections being rendered: "Abide With Me," "Nearer, My God, To Thee," Pleyel's Hymn and "One By One," the last named being sung as the friends were passing from the residence at the conclusion of the exercises. Despite the fact that the family had requested that flowers be omitted, there was a profusion of floral offerings, among which were the following pieces: Large pillow inscribed "Charlie," Mrs. C. H. Kohlrausch; wreath of carnations, lilies and white roses, John H. Kohlrausch and family; green wreath with lavender sweet peas, Matthew H. Kohlrausch and family; ivy wreath and American Beauty roses, Pilgrim commandery; wreath of white roses, Unitarian society; Masonic floral emblem, Thomas Talbot lodge, A. F. and A. M.; large floral pillow, Fr. Mathew T. A. society; wreath of green galax, violets and lilies, Mr. William Goulding and the Misses Goulding; flower wreath, Mrs. Martin Conway; spray pink roses, Mr. and Mrs. Frederic S. Clark; spray pinks and daisies, Mrs. Alfred E. Nichols and Mrs. E. P. Flanders; cluster pink tulips, Mrs. John A. Richardson; spray pinks, Mr. and Mrs. William Sprowl; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Slocum; spray roses, Mr. and Mrs. William Penn; spray pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Sheldon; spray white roses and violets, Bridge club; spray white roses and violets, Mr. and Mrs. George Preston; spray pink tulips, Mrs. J. S. Holt; spray pinks, A. D. Hoyle and family; spray pinks, George Kohlrausch and family, of Chelsea; spray lilies of the valley and snapdragon, Mrs. James Faulkner Preston; spray red roses, Mt. Horeb Royal Arch chapter; bouquet sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Talbot; spray of pinks, Mrs. Benjamin E. Porter and Miss Bertha Porter.

Burial took place today in the family lot in North Sutton, N. H. The following members of the local lodge of Masons acted as bearers and escorted the body to the train: Messrs. John E. Rowell, Warren A. Evans, Fred H. Parker, Herbert W. Sheldon, Arthur W. Holden and Coburn S. Smith. The funeral arrangements were under the direction of Undertaker William H. Saunders of Lowell.

WILSON—The funeral of John A. Wilson took place yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck. The ceremony of the Improved Order of Red Men was used. Among the floral tributes were: Wreath, employees of F. P. Cheney's box shop; pillow from the Red Men. The delegation from Passaconaway tribe included, James H. Hickey, first sannap; Edmond Whitney, sachem; George Ryan, senior sagamore; Edmond Crompton, prophet. They conducted the ceremony, assisted by Geo. Hale, George A. Frost, Martin C. Rowell, Arthur W. Garland, Fred Santum, William Hall, Archie Leckie, Daniel Starkey, Thomas Houle and R. W. Kent. Burial will take place in East Charleston, Vt.

HARWOOD—The funeral of Edgar F. Harwood took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home, 24 Fernald street. Rev. George F. Kenngott officiated and Mrs. F. L. Roberts sang in an appropriate manner. The bearers were Messrs. Charles H. Dodge, Walter Chase, Harry L. Wheeler and Samuel Arnold. There were delegations present from Chevalier-Middlesex lodge, Knights of Pythias, and the Odd Fellows. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, in charge of Undertaker C. M. Young.

BRISSON—The funeral of Mrs. Gertrude Brisson (nee) Carroll was held from the late home, 14 Maple avenue, Andover, Mass. The services were held in St. Augustine's church, where solemn high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Readion. Interment was in St. Augustine's cemetery. There were many beautiful floral tributes including a large pillow from the husband; large pillow from Uncle Stephen, Thomas and Mary Carroll of Lowell; sprays from Mr. Edward Carroll and family, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mealey, Mrs. Elizabeth Elliot and son; wreaths of roses, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Veaudrey and Mr. and Mrs. Brisson of Lowell; cross on base, Maurice J. Curran, Jr.; basket of cut flowers, Mrs. Albert W. Caldwell and Mr. McGlinn and family, and many others.

THOMBER—The funeral of the late Mrs. Annie Jane Thomber took place this morning at 8.30 from her home, 49 Concord street. A high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Edward J. Fox, O. M. I., at 9 o'clock at the Immaculate Conception church. The choir rendered the Gregorian chant, Mrs. Hugh Walker presiding at the organ. "Pie Jesu" was sung at the offertory by Mr. Edward Shea and after the elevation Miss Margaret Knowles sang "O Meritum Passionis." At the close of the service the solos of the Libera were rendered by Mrs. Hugh Walker, and as the body was being borne from the church Mr. Chas. Smith sang "De Profundis." There were many beautiful floral offerings placed upon the grave in the Immaculate Conception cemetery in Lawrence, Mass. The bearers were John Kehoe, Daniel Carroll, John Donnelly, William Burke, James Burke, Thomas Burke. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy & Sons.

FOY—The funeral of the late Thomas Foy took place this morning from the home of his parents, No. 41 Concord street, at 9.30 and proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 10 o'clock Rev. Owen McQuaid, O. M. I., celebrated a requiem high mass for the repose of his soul. The choir rendered the Gregorian chant, Mrs. Hugh Walker presiding at the organ. At the offertory Miss Isabel McKiernan sang "O Meritum Passionis," Miss Margaret Knowles sang "Pie Jesu" after the elevation and at the close of the service Mrs. Hugh Walker rendered the solos of the Libera. As the body was being borne from the church Edward Shea sang "De Profundis." There were many beautiful floral offerings including the following large pieces: A large pillow inscribed "Our Tom," from the family; a cycle with a half circle on base, with a ribbon inscribed "Gone but not Forgotten," from the chums of deceased; spray of pinks from Mrs. Mulligan and family, with ribbon inscribed "Good-bye, Tom"; spray, from Mr. and Mrs. James Cuerden; spray from the Misses Mabel Wilson, Mae Wren, and Ada Colburn; spray from the Misses Elizabeth Ward and Elizabeth Roddy; spray from Mr. and Mrs. Gillis and family; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Nyland; spray, Mrs. Walsh, Mary Walsh and Della Shannon; spray from the employes of the engine room of the Plush mill.

The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. McQuaid read the final prayers. The following gentlemen acted as bearers: Thomas Murray, Edward Foy, Charles Galagher, Edward Murphy, Edward Gillis, and Robert Mullin. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy & Sons.

Lowell, Friday, April 12, 1912.

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LONG CLOTH—One case of fine Long Cloth, in 10-yard pieces, two pieces to the piece, nice, fine quality for fine underwear, etc. Regular value 12 1-2c yard. Only.....$1.05 Piece

LIGHT PERCALE—Just received, one case of fine Percale, light ground, with neat fancy black stripes, very fine quality for house dresses, waists, shirts and blouses. 12 1-2c value, at 10c Yard

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NEGLIGEE SHIRTS—Now on sale, our new Spring line of Men's Negligee Shirts, coat style, made of fine madras, percale, etc.....48c Each

MEN'S HOSE—Men's Hose, made of fine mercerized yarn, black, tan and fancy colors. Hose made to retail at 19c and 25c pair, At 12 1-2c Pair

BRACES—One lot of Men's Braces, made of good fancy elastic web, brass trimmings and solid leather ends. 25c value, at.....15c Pair

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THE PARAGON FOUR

Standing—James Lyons, first tenor. Sitting, left to right—Andrew Doyle, second tenor; Robert Lindsay, second bass; Fred Lindsay, first bass.

THE PARAGON CO.

To Give Entertainment in Brockton Tonight

The Paragon Concert company of this city will give the concert at the annual ball of the Telephone employes at Brockton tonight. The company was recently formed and is composed of the members of the well known Paragon quartet, namely James Lyons, tenor; Andrew Doyle, second tenor; Fred Lindsay, first base, and Robert Lindsay, second base, and Edward Handley and George (Babe) Rogers. Fred Richards of this city is the musical director and accompanist. The quartet has appeared at many concerts in this city and one week they appeared at the Hathaway theatre and scored a great success. The members are all talented soloists and their individual work is of a high order. The harmony, though in their collective work, is their strongest point. For the concert tonight the members have carefully rehearsed a number of new selections and expect to be well received in the latter city. The managers of the ball heard of their ability and opened negotiations to have the quartet and the other members of the company appear at their annual party. The quartet members will give classical and popular selections. Messrs. Handley and Rogers, two excellent entertainers will appear as character singers. Each has established quite a reputation in this line and has a number of pieces on hand for the concert. Much of the success that the troup has attained in the past is due to the capable directing of Mr. Richards. All the members of the company left Lowell at 4.30 o'clock. After the concert there will be refreshments and dancing and the Lowell men anticipate an enjoyable time.

WANDERS TO DEATH

Baby Separated From Her Little Sister While at Play

NEW YORK, April 12.—The body of the baby of the Variochie family was found in the swimp grass near Cedarhurst, Long Island yesterday.

All night long posses had searched the woods. Their shouts had echoed back and forth and torches had flared through the darkest hours before dawn in a search for the little wanderer. Shivering in the chill night air, men and women had searched, while the mother of the child was under the care of a physician because of shock.

It was Wednesday evening when the shadows were growing long and the time for the "sand man" to come around was near that Mrs. Variochie suddenly remembered that she had seen neither Annie, five years old, nor May, three, for nearly two hours.

When she last saw them Annie was playing her "dollie was dead" and in the said, and little Mary was digging a grave that should mark for a few minutes the lost resting place of dollie.

Unable to find the children or to get any trace of them, the whole neighborhood was aroused. There was fear that they might have been kidnapped and also that they might have wandered to the swamp and have been drowned.

As the night grew on and no word was received more searchers joined those about the village. Automobile lamps, lanterns and even torches made from the pines aided the posse in their search for the children.

At midnight Annie was found. She had gone to sleep three-quarters of a mile from the town on the side of a hill. In her arms was the doll. The child was suffering from exhaustion and exposure.

She did not know what had become of May. She could tell only that they had held hands as they stumbled over the uneven ground, crying and trying to find their home. Then they lost each other, and Annie heard May crying in the woods.

Shortly before noon May was found in a swamp. Her little hands were torn by briers, and her shoes wet, where she had wandered into mudholes. Her death was due to exhaustion and exposure.

The mother collapsed when she looked out the window and saw a man bearing the body of her baby toward the house, while others followed with bared heads.

GOVERNOR FOSS

FAVORS SAVING FORESTS AND CONSERVING WATER POWER

BOSTON, April 12.—Governor Foss today sent a message to the legislature transmitting with his approval a letter from Gifford Pinchot, president of the National Conservation association, in which the former chief forester of the United States, urges the adoption of a resolution endorsing a broad national policy of conservation of natural resources and asking the co-operation of congress. The governor in his message calls attention to what he considers the need of immediate action along these lines in Massachusetts to save the remaining forests and conserve water power.

SERVICES HELD

AT CRYPT OF ALFRED TENNYSON DICKENS

NEW YORK, April 12.—Services were held in Trinity church at the crypt of Alfred Tennyson Dickens, son of Charles Dickens. Since his death, while visiting the United States on the occasion of the Dickens centenary celebration the body has been lying in the receiving vaults of the cemetery. Services were conducted by the Rev. William T. Manning, rector of Trinity.

RUSHING PLANS

FOR EXTRADITION OF FORMER BANK PRESIDENT

CHICAGO, April 12.—Plans are being rushed for the extradition of C. W. Beattie Nesbit, former president of the Farmers National bank of Toronto, Canada, who is under arrest here for alleged forgeries amounting to $200,000 in connection with the failure of the bank, which closed its doors two years ago. Assistant Chief of Police Schuettler said today that extradition papers were on the way from Toronto. The police refused to deny or affirm a report that the fact that Nesbitt was hiding in Chicago was revealed by a Toronto schoolteacher who recognized him on the street and reported the matter to the authorities.

Nesbit was well known in Toronto political circles and was candidate for mayor of the Canadian city four years ago when he was defeated by Joseph Oliver.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	82⅞	80½	80⅝
Am Car & Fn	60¼	59¼	59¾
Am Car & Fn pf	118	118	118
Am Cot Oil	53⅝	53	53½
Am Locomo	42⅝	41½	42
Am Smelt & R	86⅛	84¾	84¾
Am Sugar Rfn	128½	127	127
Anaconda	42⅞	42⅝	42⅝
Atchison	108⅝	108	108
Balt & Ohio	107⅞	107½	107½
Br Rap Tran	83⅞	82	83
Canadian Pa	250⅝	249½	250
Cast I Pipe	17	17	17
Cent Leather	25⅝	25	25¼
Cent Leather pf	92	92	92
Ches & Ohio	80⅞	79¾	79¾
Chi & Gt W	19	19	19
Col Fuel	31	28½	28½
Consol Gas	144	143¼	143¾
Del & Hud	171⅞	171¼	171¼
Den & Rio G	23½	23½	23½
Den & R G pf	43	43	43
Dis Secur Co	32⅝	32⅝	32⅝
Erie	39⅛	37¾	38
Erie 1st pf	57¼	56⅝	56⅝
Erie 2d pf	47½	47½	47½
Gen Elec	171	169¾	170⅛
Gt North pf	133	131¼	131¾
Gt No Ore ctf	40¾	39¾	39⅞
Illinois Cen	129⅞	129⅛	129⅞
Int Met Com	20¾	19⅞	20
Int Met pf	60¾	59⅞	60
Int Paper	13¼	13	13
Int Paper pf	56⅞	56	56½
In S Pump Co	31¼	31¼	31¼
Iowa Central	12¾	12½	12½
Kan City So	28	27⅝	27⅝
Kan & Texas	30½	29¾	29¾
Louis & Nash	160½	159	159½
Missouri Pa	44½	42⅝	42⅝
Nat Lead	58⅝	57½	57½
N Y Central	115⅝	114¼	114¼
No Am Co	82⅞	81⅞	82½
Nor & West	113¼	112⅝	112¾
North Pacific	122½	121⅝	121⅝
Ont & West	41¾	40½	40½
Pennsylvania	125	124¾	124¾
People's Gas	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞
Pressed Steel	36	35	35
Pullman Co	160⅝	160½	160½
Ry St Sp Co	34	34	34
Reading	167¼	165⅝	166
Rep Iron & S	23⅝	23	23
Rep I & S pf	78	76½	76½
Rock Is	30⅛	28¾	28⅝
Rock Is pf	57½	56¼	56¼
St Paul	110⅞	109½	110½
So Pacific	113¾	112¼	112¼
Southern Ry	30⅝	29¾	29¾
Southern Ry pf	74½	73	73⅝
Tenn Copper	41	40½	40¾
Texas Pac	25	24¾	25
Third Ave	40½	40½	40½
Union Pacific	174¼	171½	171⅝
Union Pac pf	90½	90½	90½
U S Rub	57½	56	56
U S Rub pf	115	114¾	115
U S Steel	71¼	69⅝	69⅞
U S Steel pf	112¾	112⅝	112⅝
U S Steel 5s	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
Utah Copper	63⅝	62¼	62½
Wabash R R	9	8½	8½
Wab R R pf	22	21⅝	21⅝
Westinghouse	76⅝	76	76
Western Un	82½	81⅞	82⅛
Wh & L Erie	7⅝	7¼	7¼
W & L E 2d pf	22½	22½	22½
Wiscon Cen	57⅛	57	57⅛

Money Market

NEW YORK, April 12.—Prime mercantile paper 4¼-4½. Sterling exchange steady at 484 for 60 day bills and at 486.95 for demand. Commercial bills 483¾. Bar silver 58⅝. Mexican dollars 47. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds irregular.

Money on call firm, ruling rate 3¾, last loan 3½, closing bid 3-3½, offered at 3½.

Time loans steady, 60 days 3½, 90 days 3¾, six months 3¾-4.

Cotton Futures

	Opening	Close
April	11.08	11.11
May	11.15	11.20
June	11.30	11.22
July	11.30	11.28
August	11.29	11.31
September	11.29	11.33
October	11.37	11.40
November	11.39	11.43
December	11.42	11.46
January	11.40	11.44
February	11.40	11.44
March	11.42	11.35

Cotton Spot

Cotton spot closed steady, 20 points up. Middling Uplands 11.65. Middling Gulf, 11.90. Sales, 200 bales.

STOCK MARKET

WAS WEAK AT THE CLOSE THIS AFTERNOON

Sales Of Union Pacific Caused An Unfavorable Impression—This Feeling Was Manifested In Other Active Stocks—Short Account Operations Constituted Big Part of Day's Business

NEW YORK, April 12.—A further irregular tendency was noted at the opening of today's stock market with selling pressure in such active issues as United States Steel and U. P. Various other active stocks declined fractionally, these being offset, however, by a new record price for American Canadian and a rise of two points in Canadian Pacific. Some strength was shown by Amalgamated Copper, N. Y. C. and Erie.

Short selling provoked further recessions, some of which extended a full point. Lowest prices of the week were recorded by U. P., Missouri Pacific and U. S. Steel. Coppers were firm at the outset but later yielded with the balance of the list. International Harvester rose over a point on announcement that the company would accede to the government dissolution terms. Before the end of the first hour the market lapsed into dullness with a more pronounced downward tendency.

Hill issues felt the force of the trading movement which continued to sell around U. P. and U. S. Steel, the latter declining to 70, a loss of 1¼, while U. P. lost a point. Gains in Canadian Pacific, International Harvester and some of the specialties were largely lost, with an erratic movement in American Can. Bonds were steady.

Renewed weakness in U. P., which went lower than in the morning, created heaviness elsewhere and the list assumed an apathetic tone. Reports of sales of copper metal at above 16 cents served to impart some additional quietness to the tone of the market.

American Can preferred gathered strength during the early afternoon and rose a point. Other issues, which had fallen off during the morning also strengthened and made recoveries.

The market closed weak. Like the market of the previous day the last hour was characterized by weakness. The persistent selling of Union Pacific created an unfavorable impression which was manifested in other active stocks. The movement again derived much of its impulse from the short account whose operations constituted a large part of the day's business.

BOSTON CURB MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Bay State Gas	31	28	30
Boston Ely	2	2	2
Davis-Daly	2	1¾	2
Ely Consol	34	32	32
First National	3⅝	3¼	3¼
Majestic	81	70	71
Nev Douglas	4⅝	4¼	4⅝
Ohio Copper	1½	1½	1½
Oneco	3½	3½	3½
Raven	41	41	41
Ray Central	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
Vulture	50	45	45

Bank Exchanges

NEW YORK, April 12.—Bank exchanges this week display considerable irregularity, the total being affected by the Good Friday holiday at many important centers. The aggregate, however, of all leading cities in the United States amounted to $839,084,545, which is a gain of 9.2 per cent. as compared with the same week last year and of .6 per cent. compared with the corresponding week in 1910. This large gain over last year is indirectly due to the pronounced expansion at New York city. Outside cities report a loss of 1.7 per cent in comparison with last year but a gain of 3.1 per cent. over 1910.

Boston Market

BOSTON, April 12.—Local coppers were strong and active during the early trading but the market became stagnant at noon. Granby was the feature of the list.

BOSTON MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Adventure	7¼	7¼	7½
Allouez	46	46	46
Am Ag Chem Com.	61	60¾	60¾
Am Tel & Tel	145⅝	145⅝	145⅝
American Zinc	27	26⅝	26⅝
Arcadian	5½	5	5
Arizona Com	6½	6	6
Boston & Maine	100	100	100
Cal & Arizona	74	73	73
Cal & Hecla	490	485	485
Centennial	22½	22	22
Copper Range	65¾	64	64
Daly-West	6¾	6¾	6¾
Franklin	15	14½	14½
Giroux	5⅞	5¾	5¾
Granby	57	55	55¼
Greene-Cananea	9¼	8⅞	8⅞
Indiana	15½	15¼	15¼
Lake Copper	47¾	46	46
Mass Gas pf	97	97	97
Miami Cop	26¼	25¾	25¾
Mohawk	65	64	64
Nevada	20¼	20	20
Newhouse Mines	1	1	1
N Y & N H	138¾	138	138¾
North Butte	34½	32½	32¾
Old Dominion	54¼	53¼	53¼
Osceola	117	117	117
Quincy	86	86	86
Shannon	15	14½	14¾
Superior Copper	33	32½	32½
Swift & Co	104½	104½	104½
Tamarack	29½	29½	29½
Trinity	8¾	8	8
United Fruit	185	185	185
United Sh M	51	50½	50½
Un Sh M pf	29	29	29
U S Smelting	40½	39½	39½
U S Smelting pf	48¾	48¾	48¾
Utah Cons	14½	14	14
Utah Copper Co	63	62½	62½
Winona	7	6¾	6¾
Wolverine	113	113	113

SUPERIOR COURT

Case of Connors vs. B. & M. Road on Trial

The case of Edward Connors vs. the Boston & Maine R. R. which was on trial when the civil session of the superior court was adjourned yesterday afternoon was resumed at the opening of court this morning. The plaintiff is suing to recover for alleged personal injuries received while in the employ of the defendant company.

The case of Connors vs. Boston & Maine railway was concluded this afternoon and was given to the jury at 3 o'clock.

The next case called was that of Andrew J. Walsh vs. Boston & Northern Street Railway company, an action of tort. The plaintiff alleges that on May 1, 1911, a car of the defendant company struck the left wheel of his carriage that was on Gorham street near the corner of Lundberg street and that the latter was thrown with force against the horse attached, and that he was badly injured. The ad damnum asked is $500. The defendant company makes a general denial.

After the case was called the jurymen not serving were excused until Monday morning at 9.30 o'clock.

Two Verdicts

In the case of Hill against Bailey, a verdict of $97.59 was returned for the plaintiff late yesterday afternoon. This case was given to the jury early in the morning. A verdict for the plaintiff of $137 was also returned in the case of Daniel C. Shepard of Newton vs. Mattie L. Muchmore of Waltham.

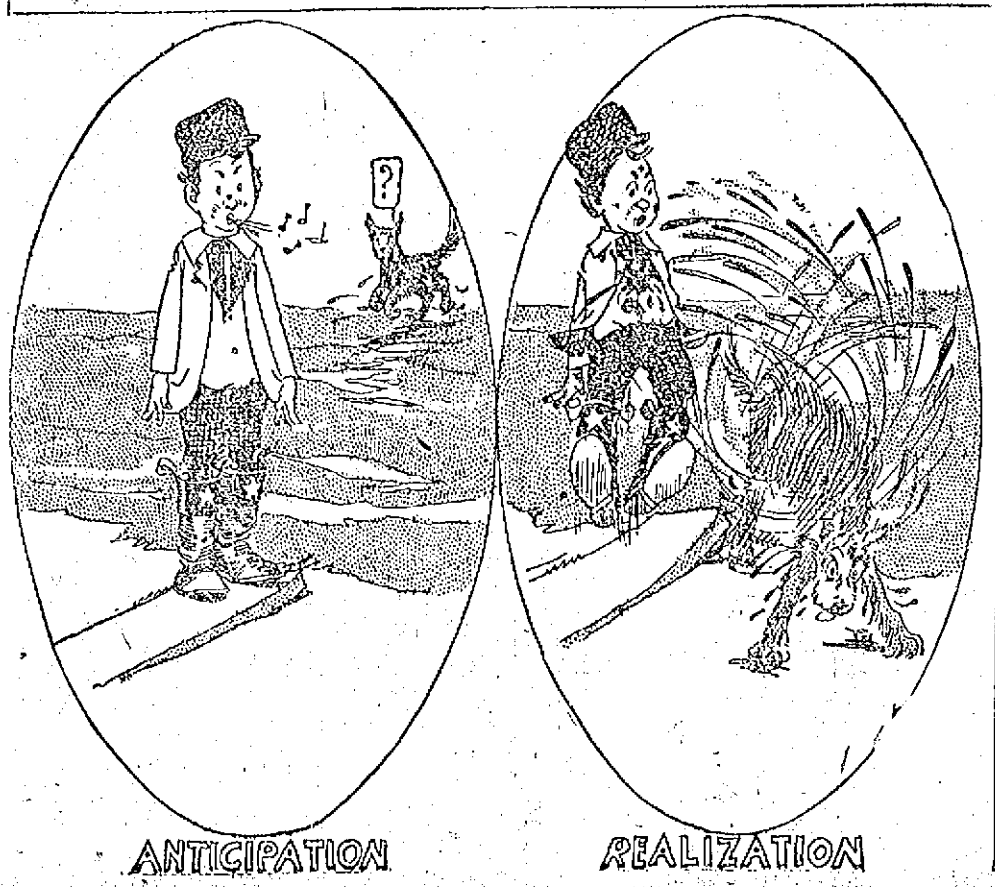
MAKING GOOD

MEMPHIS MANAGER PLEASED WITH MOULTON'S WORK

A report from Memphis says that Manager Bernhard is elated over the way that Moulton is showing up. He is confident that the former Lowell second baseman will be a great assistance to him this season.

Mr. Joseph Belisle of St. Marc des Carrieres and formerly of Lowell, is visiting his many relatives in this city.

LIFE'S DISAPPOINTMENTS



COTTON MILL STRIKE

Continued

THE TEXTILE WORKERS DID NOT MEET TODAY

The executive council of the Textile Workers of America held no meeting this morning, but they announced that the members of the Weavers' union will be paid off tomorrow afternoon in their hall, 32 Middle street. This will be the second pay they will receive from the union since the strike began. The council has sent an appeal to all the trades unions of New England and money is now coming in. Next Monday a relief station will be opened for those in need, who are not entitled to pay. They are very confident that none of their members will suffer while the strike is on, and they will see that every one has plenty to eat.

There was a rumor circulated in this city that a number of children would be shipped away as was done in Lawrence, but this as far as can be learned is unfounded. All that could be learned is that a number of skilled help are leaving the city. A large number of French and English speaking people as well as a number of foreigners left the city yesterday going to Fall River, New Bedford and other centres. The Belgians, who are considered to be the skilled help of the Merrimack mill, especially in the velvet departments, are going away in large numbers. The Greeks are also preparing for an exodus, a large number of them planning to leave for the old country.

THE MORNING PARADE WAS HELD TODAY

The regular morning parade and picketing was held today and the line of marchers was by far the largest seen in Lowell. After marching up and down Jackson street for some time, the parade split and a portion of it went to the Waterhead mills in Lawrence street, while the other toured the different mill districts. There was no trouble reported, but there was more enthusiasm displayed than on any other day.

THE STRIKE COMMITTEE MET AT I. W. W. HEADQUARTERS

At 10.30 o'clock the strike committee met in the I. W. W. hall in Hanover street and the hall was packed to its doors, many being obliged to turn away for lack of room. The meeting was called to order by William Trautman and the routine business was done away with. The report of nationalities was to the effect that everybody is firm and will stick to the end, and by the way they expressed themselves this morning, if a settlement is not forthcoming soon, something will happen in the near future.

It was reported that the officials of the Massachusetts mill were trying to get the spinning department going, and it was voted to have a strong picket line at that mill this noon. There was a large crowd in the vicinity of the mill this noon, but no disorder was reported. It was also reported that in some mills preparations were being made either to open up or to close for a long period. At this point Dr. Demopoulos said it was poor policy for them to speak about the doings of the mills. "The mill agents," said the doctor, "will believe we are weakening, but it is the contrary, our line is strengthening every day, and it will be better for us to let the mills go along with their business, and we will attend to ours. We are out for 15 per cent. increase and we will not quit until we receive it."

The members of the Leather Workers' union have offered their hall gratis to the strike committee for day sessions, and they also promised to help the cause financially, and it is expected they will donate $100 weekly until the strike is settled. They also voted $10 for the Giovannitti and Ettor defense, as well as promised help in the line of food.

The relief committee reported that yesterday they attended to hundreds of cases and their people need not fear, there is plenty of money and everybody in need will be taken care of.

Dr. Demopoulos offered his services gratis to anyone of the strikers who will need medical aid, and he said Mr. Chagarouly, druggist, at the corner of Market and Suffolk streets, would supply the drugs free or at cost. He then announced that if the strike was not settled this week, he would allow the Greeks to go out on the picket line, and one cannot tell just what that will mean. The Portuguese said if the strike was not settled in a few days they would ask 20 per cent. increase and would not return to work until said increase is granted, and be it said the Portuguese are well fixed as far as money is concerned at present. They have a baker supplying them with bread at cost, and over 1000 families are being fed through this bakery. When these two announcements were made, the crowd applauded and shouted so much that the noise could be heard many blocks away. The picketers would only be too glad to have the Greeks with them.

Monday morning the strikers will meet at 5 o'clock and every one promised to be in line. The Lithuanian band and several other musicians will be there with their instruments, and banners and other souvenirs will be distributed to the paraders.

At the close of the meeting the gathering was addressed by Mr. Dennis Callahan, chairman of the strike committee of Clinton, and by the Greek leader of the latter place, Mr. Harry Lampropoulis.

ANOTHER STRIKE IS ON AT THE BROOKSIDE

Another strike broke out this morning, when the jack spoolers of the Brookside mill in Westford quit work after they had been apprised of the fact that a cut down had been enforced upon them since Monday. The strikers number eight, all women, but they say if they do not return to work soon, the entire plant which employs about 40 people, will be crippled.

The strikers called at the office of The Sun this afternoon and said they received $1.90 per 100 pounds of yarn they turned out, but since Monday they were to receive $1.45 for the same amount of yarn. They were apprised of this fact only this morning, and immediately they stopped working. The overseer it is said then offered them $1.60 for the work, but the workers refused the offer. They say they earn on an average about $8 per week, and out of this amount they have to pay car fares to the amount of 60 cents a week.

Photo by Marion

EDMOND SICARD,
President of Loomfixers' Union.

MICHIGAN REPUBS

Are Split Into Two Parties

DETROIT, April 12.—As a result of the split in the state republican convention in Bay City yesterday there are, in one sense, practically two republican parties in Michigan today although neither side will recognize the other as representative of the party. There are two republican state central committees each claiming the other illegal. There are also two state chairmen. If Alexander Groesbeck, whom the Taft wing of the convention yesterday elected as state chairman tries to serve as such, Frank Knox, Roosevelt leader, elected chairman in the fall of 1910 for a term of two years, promises to carry the matter to the courts. The same is true with respect to several committeemen who were replaced at the convention.

MISSING OFFICER

Believed to be at Work on Ranch

DENVER, Colo., April 12.—The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Frederick Hesketh, a lieutenant in the British Ninth Lancers, who was last seen at Kingston, Ireland, October 30, 1910, appears to have been solved by a communication received here last night from Dr. B. F. Woodward of Gillette, Wyo. Dr. Woodward said he met the man who appears to be Lieut. Hesketh two days ago and as he was stranded secured him a position on a sheep ranch. The description given by Dr. Woodward fits the British officer who gave his name as Frederick Hesketh.

Frederick F. Hesketh is the second son of Sir Thomas Hesketh and of Lady Hesketh, who was Flora Sharon, of San Francisco, a daughter of a California millionaire. Lieut. Hesketh's brother, Captain Thomas Hesketh married Miss Florence Breckenridge, daughter of General J. C. Breckenridge of Washington, D. C.

STATUE OF EDWARD

To be Unveiled at Cannes Tomorrow

NICE, April 12.—A series of Franco-British festivities signifying, according to the French press, another powerful demonstration of the vitality of the friendship between the two countries began here today when an imposing monument was dedicated to the late Queen Victoria. The British and French fleets were anchored in the bay while ten thousand British and French marines and soldiers marched through the streets of the city and were reviewed by the French premier, Raymond Poincaire. Sir Francis Bertie, the British ambassador to France, Theophile Delcasse, French minister of marine Alexandre Millerand, French minister of war, the king of Sweden and a large number of princes and princesses were present.

Tomorrow a statue of the late King Edward is to be unveiled at Cannes.

ULSTER SOCIETY

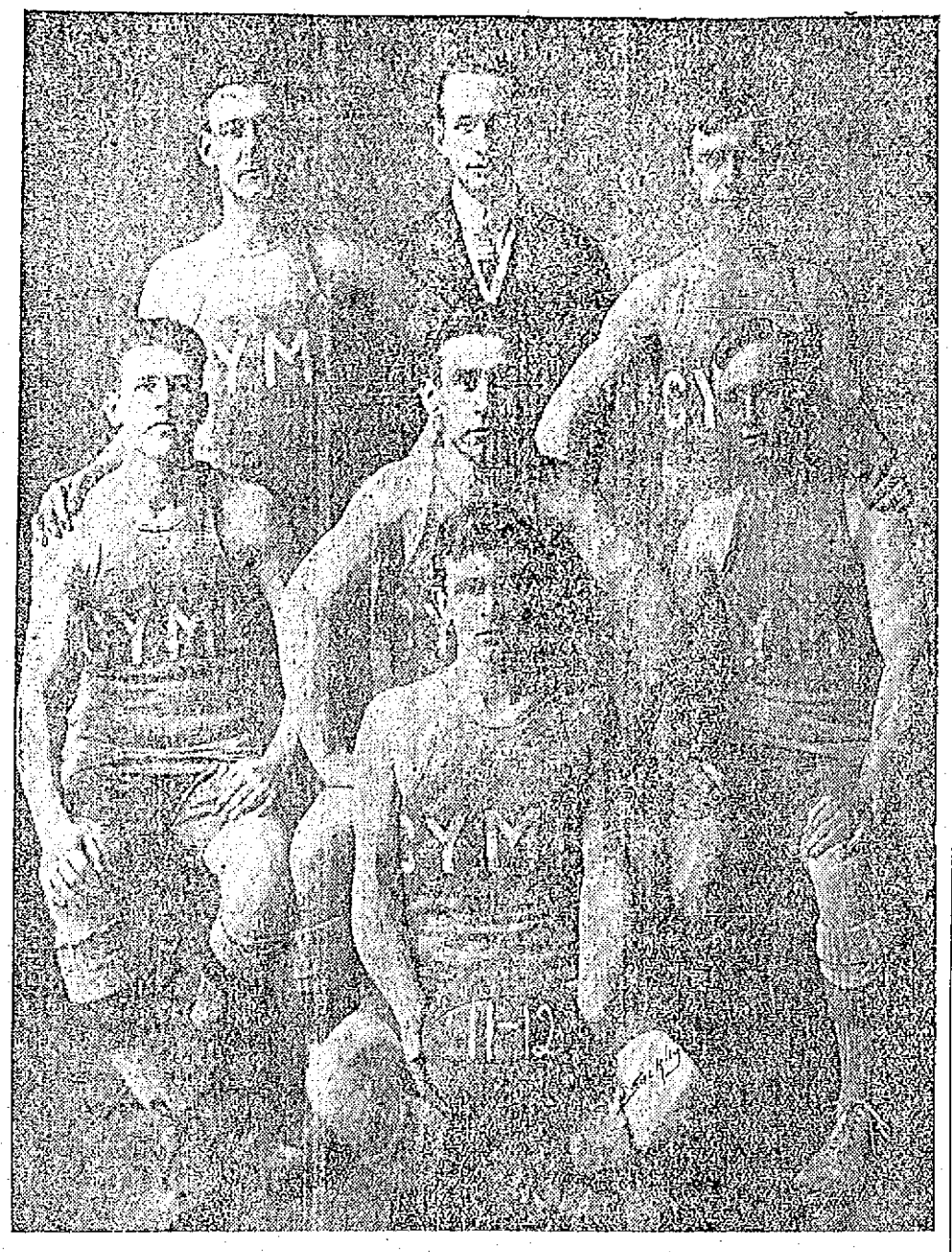
DOES NOT LIKE HOME RULE BILL

BELFAST, April 12.—The Ulster Liberal Unionist association issued a manifesto today declaring that the government's Home Rule bill warrants the worst fears of the disastrous results home rule will have on the agricultural, commercial and industrial prosperity of Ireland and that it only confirms Ulster's stern resolve that under no circumstances will she be relegated to the control of such a parliament. The Nationalists regard this as so much bluster.

GERMAN FLEET

IS TO PAY A VISIT TO THIS COUNTRY

BERLIN, April 12.—The final composition of the division of the German fleet that is to visit America in order to pay a return visit for the sojourn of the second division of the United States Atlantic fleet in Kiel last summer has been determined upon by the German admiralty. It will include the armored cruiser Moltke under the command of Captain Ritteron Mann Edler Von Tichler, and the protected cruiser Bremen, commanded by Captain Zebohm. The rear-admiral, who is to be in chief command of the division, has not yet been selected.



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THE C. Y. M. L. TEAM

Claims Championship of the City

The C. Y. M. L. basketball team won the second and deciding game of the series from the Mysteries at Mathew hall last night. The final score was C. Y. M. L. 22, Mysteries 15. By taking last night's game the Lyceum boys clinch their claim to the championship of the city. They have not played some of the fast local teams but as Manager Quinn of the team has challenged all he now claims the title and is ready to defend it against all comers. Last night's game brought the series of three contests between these two teams to an end. The first game was more exciting than last night's exhibition, inasmuch as the winner was not determined until the last few minutes of play. That game resulted in the score of 16 to 11 with the boys from the North common on the long end.

The team played nine games this season and won all.

In last night's game the Lyceum had the better of the contest all the way. They started at the sound of the whistle and kept at it until the last minute of play. They gave one of the best exhibitions of team work that has been seen here in a long time. The features of the game were the shooting of C. Flynn and Maloney and the fine covering of Brennan, F. Flynn and Florey, while the best work for the defeated quintet was done by Clark and Farrell.

The lineup:

C. Y. M. L.	Mysteries
F. Flynn, rf	rf, Clark
Brennan, lf	lf, Morris
F. Flynn, c	c, O'Brien
Maloney, rb	rb, Dwyer
Florey, lb	lb, Farrell

Baskets: C. Flynn 4, Farrell 3, Maloney 2, Clark 2, Brennan, Flynn, Florey, Morris. Score—C. Y. M. L. 22, Mysteries 15. Referee, Wilson, Timers Kelley and Canney, Scorers Hart and Mullin. Time, 20 minute halves.

BOXING GOSSIP

Frank Klaus of Pittsburgh, who calls himself "middleweight champion of the world," is in New York, prepared to accept the best offer available for a match with anybody. Klaus says he rightfully won the title when he beat Jack Dillon in San Francisco. He declares that he did not take on Eddie McGoorty of Oshkosh because the latter refused to make 158 pounds, ringside, the recognized American middleweight limit. Regarding a battle with Mike Gibbons, Klaus states that he will not come down to 153 pounds ringside, which Gibbons wants, but he intimates that he might agree to 156.

"If Mona will make 158 ringside," Klaus remarked yesterday, "I will take him on and, what is more, I will beat him."

Klaus, it is understood, has received an offer from the Garden A. C.

Bob Moha's bubble burst at the Madison A. C., New York, Tuesday night. If the bout had lasted twenty rounds instead of ten Freddie Hicks might have scored a knockout. Moha showed poor ability to land squarely and was very slow in taking advantage of openings. He is a mark for a fast hitter and is lost when it comes to boxing at long range. Moha, in short, is simply a rough and tumble performer who is dangerous in half clinches only.

Young Erne of Philadelphia and K. O. Brown of this city will box ten rounds at the Madison A. C., New York, next Monday night. The fur should fly in this mixup.

The "ringer" who, under the name of Black Bill, was knocked out by Joe Jeannette at Lewiston, Me., last week, is a negro named Jack McCargo, who has appeared in several preliminary bouts in this city. The real Black Bill is touring the large cities as the sparring partner of Albert Palzer, who is receiving $800 a week.

Sam Langford, flushed with a victory over Sam McVey in Australia, has renewed his challenge to Jack Johnson, who may have a chance to try out the Tar Baby in Madison Square Garden, New York, in June. It is said that the State Athletic commission will permit Johnson to box there if his antagonist is a negro, but he will not be allowed to put on the gloves with any of the so-called white hopes.

POSTOFFICE TEAM

Scored Victory Over the Lamsons

On the Crescent alleys last night the Postoffice team took two strings and the total from the Lamson team. O'Day and Willis of the winners each rolled 291. The score:

Postoffice	1	2	3	T'ls
Shaughnessey	81	84	80	245
Ivers	83	71	93	247
Maguire	80	88	88	256
Willis	94	94	103	291
Turnquist	88	86	89	263
O'Day	86	107	98	291
Totals	512	530	551	1593

Lamsons				
A. Grant	85	72	80	237
Cummings	87	85	77	249
Humphrey	94	88	93	275
Jackson	98	85	85	268
G. Grant	99	94	78	271
McDonald	80	83	91	254
Totals	543	507	504	1554

THE GLIDDEN ROUTE

Will be Decided Upon in Near Future

The floods along the Mississippi will have no effect on the route of the Glidden tour for 1912, because the tour comes so late in the season that whatever damage has been caused to roads no doubt will be repaired by the time the tour is run in October. Although the place for the southern end of the tour has been decided upon, that is to say it will surely be New Orleans, the city where the tour will begin still is in doubt.

There are no less than five cities which have been named as a probable starting place. They are Detroit, Indianapolis, Cleveland, Minneapolis and Chicago. There are good reasons for fixing the start in any one of these five and all of them have adherents who are urging their claims.

If the tour should start at either Detroit, Indianapolis or Cleveland it would go down on the east side of the Mississippi river. If from Minneapolis or Chicago it would probably run on the west side as far as St. Louis. One thing that would have to be taken care of is to get from St. Louis to Memphis, because it is definitely decided that the last stages of the contest will include the run from Memphis to New Orleans. It is desired to include Kansas City, if the American road congress is to be held there in October.

All these matters and others pertaining to the Glidden tour will be taken up at the meeting in Buffalo of the executive committee of the American automobile Association, to be held on April 18. At this meeting Col. Frank M. Joyce of Minneapolis, who is one of the vice-presidents of the American Automobile Association, will report on the state of affairs. It was Col. Joyce who arranged with the people in New Orleans to have the tour finish in that city. There is a good deal of sentiment in favor of having a tour run straight from the Twin Cities to the Gulf.

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THE C. M. A. C. WON

TOOK GAME FROM THE A. G. CADETS

The fourth game in a series of basketball games between the A. G. Cadets and the C. M. A. C. was held last night in the C. M. A. C. gymnasium with the result that the former were again defeated, the score being 22 to 14. On account of the teams standing even, each team having won two games, another game will be played next Thursday to determine the champions. The lineup last night was as follows:

A. G. Cadets: L. Vigeant, Dan Brunelle, F. Descheneaux, L. Lavalle, Henry Boulais.

C. M. A. C.: L. Descheneaux, A. Hamel, A. Lemay (first half), Tancrede Blanchette (second half), E. Fontaine. The referee was Mr. Gagnon.

Notice to Water Takers

Water will be blown off from the city mains on Sunday, April 14, from 1 to 5 P. M.

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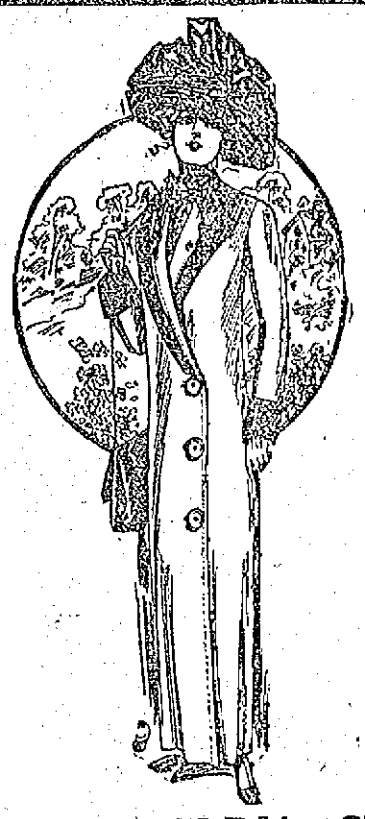

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12-18 JOHN STREET

AN ERUPTION

Of the Chiriqui Peak is Reported

MOBILE, Ala., April 12.—Corroboration of the report of an eruption of Chiriqui peak near Bocas Del Toro, Panama, was brought to Mobile last night on the Norwegian steamer Origen. Captain Wang and other officers of the vessel tell of steaming through warm, brown water when passing through the Yucatan channel. They believe the phenomenon was caused by a submarine disturbance. Thousands of lives are believed to have been lost, the officers said, but no true estimate of the damage to life and property had been made at the time the Origen left for Mobile. Captain Wang said that he believed that a volcano under sea had been discovered in the Yucatan.

BABY HAD ECZEMA OF WORST KIND

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"I tried so many remedies and nothing helped him. Then I tried Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. Three times a day I bathed him with as hot water as he could stand and Cuticura Soap. Then I would put on the Cuticura Ointment and bandage with linen cloths. I did this about two months as his case was very severe. Now he is completely cured and you don't know how thankful I am." (Signed) Mrs. T. B. Baker, Nov. 27, 1911.

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PUT ON PROBATION

Percy Yates of New Bedford Got Off Easy

Percy Yates, aged 16 years, appeared before Judge Pickman in the juvenile session of the police court this morning on a complaint charging him with breaking and entering and larceny. He broke into Carr's billiard and pool parlors in Gorham street last Sunday night and was caught in the act of rifling the cash register by Patrolman Rourke, who had been stationed there by Mr. Carr.

When placed under arrest he gave the name of Thomas Henderson, said he was 14 years of age and lived in New Bedford. While in jail he sent a letter to his mother in New Bedford and when the mother came to this city she gave his true name, age and residence and said that he had been a source of annoyance to her but that if the court would allow him to return with her she could watch him more closely in the future.

Inasmuch as Mr. Carr did not care about pressing the case the court placed the young man on probation for a term of six months.

CARPET ASSAULT CASE

Two Men Fined for Assaulting Man Who Tried to Eject Them

Nicholas Kretos and Joseph Pappas were arraigned before Judge John J. Pickman in police court this morning on complaints charging them with assault and battery on Thomas H. Mullin, a second hand at the Bigelow Carpet company and also with trespassing upon the premises. Through their counsel, D. J. Donahue, pleas of not guilty were entered but the court found the men guilty and ordered Kretos to pay a fine of $17 for assault and Pappas to pay a fine of $12. The cases of trespass were placed on file.

The first witness for the government was the complainant, Thomas H. Mullin, who testified that he was a second hand in the mill. He said that the defendants were passing through the card room Wednesday morning between 7 and 7.15 o'clock and he asked them where they were going. They said that they were looking for a friend. He said he ordered them to leave the place and when they refused to do so he started to push them out and one of the men grabbed hold of him while the other struck him.

On cross-examination the witness said he had a screw driver in his hand and was trying to defend himself.

Annie Bardsley testified that she had been employed in the card room for the past two weeks and witnessed the assault. She said that one of the men had a large wooden spool in his hand and that the other picked up a gear and later dropped it on the floor. Katherine Fay corroborated her testimony.

James Hogg, superintendent of the Bigelow Carpet company, testified to having instructed the complainant as well as other second hands and overseers at the start of the strike to keep people, other than employes, out of the place.

Pappas, one of the defendants, said that he went into the mill for the purpose of looking for a job and asked the complainant where the overseer was and the complainant used vile language and started to rush him out of the place. Kretos testified along the same line.

The court after considering the evidence found the men guilty and imposed fines. Appeals were taken and each defendant was held under $200 bonds for the superior court.

Stole a Watch

Alexander Stempin was charged with the larceny of a watch valued at $30. He was found guilty and sentenced to the Lyman school.

Drunken Offenders

Joseph Lamontagne, charged with being drunk, was sentenced to three months in jail. Charles Henderson was fined $6.

Watuppas, Prescott, Miner's, tonight.

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MORE FOREIGNERS

Are To Leave This City Tomorrow

Today is the first day for the past few weeks that no foreigners were reported as leaving this city. About every day since the strike in this city started a number of aliens left here for other places. Today, however, none went.

Yesterday there was a party of twenty of the strikers that went to Salmon Falls, N. H., these were brought there at the expense of an agent for one of the mills there. This is the second number that this man has taken from here to his city. In this party there were several women. Several others left yesterday for the southern part of the state. Another party is scheduled to leave tomorrow.

One of the attaches at the depot in conversation with a reporter for The Sun said that yesterday morning a prominent Lowell mill man at whose mill there are a number of strikers, asked him if it was true that a number of people were leaving this city. The former replied in the affirmative and then the mill man said: "They will not stay there long." He later asked how many went and to what places they were going and he was informed. Just then the mill man's train for Boston came in and he left.

Trains Late

The 10.49 train did not arrive at the depot this morning until 11.17 o'clock. The Central Vermont train was also quite late this morning. The reason for the delay was said to be owing to the heavy travel.

The Summer Schedule

The summer schedule for the Marthas Vineyard and Nantucket lines has been issued and will go into effect on next Monday, April 15. This is very interesting to Lowell people as many annually take a trip to this point. The trains will run from the local depot over the New York, New Haven & Hartford road. The train that leaves Lowell at 7 a. m. will arrive at New Bedford at 10.50. This will connect with a train that will leave at 10.45 and arrive at Nantucket at 1 o'clock.

PANAMA CANAL

Is Greatest Engineering Feat Ever Attempted

Rev. R. Perry Bush, D. D., of Chelsea addressed the Men's club of the First Universalist church last evening and said some interesting things about the Panama canal. He said the undertaking was the greatest engineering feat ever attempted. Dr. Bush made a trip to the Panama canal zone last fall. He said that while the engineering constituted the biggest feat of its kind ever attempted, the sanitary work of Col. Gorgas was without precedent. The pioneers of the canal, Shonts, Wallace and Stevens constituted a trio of men seldom equalled by any nation and at any time. However, at the present time, the entire scheme is outlined in the brain of Lieut. Col. Goethals, a regular army officer, who is a type of the best that there is in American life. Absolutely fearless, careful and considerate, wholly honest, deeply interested in the welfare of everybody in the canal zone he is a truly remarkable character.

The canal will surely be ready for use in 1913, said the speaker, it being over four-fifths completed at the present time. It will, when done, mean a cut of 7500 miles in the run from New York to San Francisco. It will mean that South America will be much nearer to the ports of North America than to those of any other part of the world. It will increase tremendously the trade of our republic.

"But if the battleship Oregon had not been forced to circle Cape Horn," he said, "in a time of war, to join our fleet off Cuba it is very probable the canal would not have been built, at least not now. I am not an alarmist, I am not prophesying war, but history has not written all of her history. No longer do the Japanese worship at their Buddhist, their Brahmin, their Shinto, their Tao shrines. They are a people without a religion today. Nothing has gone in to take the places of the religions they have discarded. They reverence their forefathers and they have a remarkable love for their mother land. In the war with Russia they performed remarkable surgical and sanitary work on the field of battle. They exhibited a knowledge of medicine which astounded the entire civilized world. They have as good guns as we have, and they know how to shoot. Their knowledge of the great cities of the world is most complete. I doubt not but that they know the mills of Lowell from A to Z. And nobody can tell when an irresponsible crowd may do something which might precipitate a war with Japan. Her history has not all been written.

"And then there is China, with her 400 millions of people, with an army being trained by German and American experts. China is accomplishing within a short time what it took centuries to do in other nations.

"We have not built the Panama canal for fun. We hope to benefit from it in the increase of our imports and exports, we hope to gain a brotherhood with other nations which has heretofore been denied, and we hope, not to increase our fleets, but to make it possible for them to get from one seaboard to the other in short order."

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ABOLISH THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

The school board wasted time unnecessarily perhaps in prying into the work of the board of supervisors whose business it is or has been to select teachers as required for the local schools. This is a very important function which is usually assigned to the superintendent or to a training school; but some time after the Lowell training school was abolished, the school board devised the board of supervisors for the purpose of selecting new teachers.

An examination of applicants for teachers' positions was held annually, none being eligible except those who were graduates of a normal school or college and who had had a year's experience in teaching elsewhere than in Lowell. The members of the board of supervisors, made up of the grammar masters, were required to visit the applicants either at work or at their homes and so far as might be, judge of their personal fitness for the teaching profession.

There was strong objection to the arrangement requiring resident teachers to go out of town for experience before they could be appointed to the Lowell schools. The residents of Lowell regarded this as a discrimination against local applicants, for when the Lowell girl went outside to teach and wished to return she had to compete against the country at large before getting an appointment as teacher in her native city.

The residents who went to the expense of educating their daughters and having them pass through the normal school, very reasonably objected to this arrangement; they felt that the Lowell graduates of a normal school or college should have some consideration more than those from Maine, New Hampshire, New York or points more distant. This system has already resulted in sending many young Lowell teachers to other cities or to country towns while others who may not be a whit better, if as good, have been chosen to the local schools.

This new method of selecting teachers naturally became unpopular in Lowell. There was strong opposition to its continuance and it certainly entered into the school contests of last December. It was not surprising, therefore, that one of the first things done by the new school board was to order the supervisors not to make any more visits to out-of-town applicants. The work of the supervisors was still further investigated on Wednesday night with the result that the board will probably be abolished to make way for a merit system in which the applicants for teachers' positions will not be required to go out of town for their early experience.

Under such a system, properly applied, the school board could procure as good teachers as by the other method. Indeed we believe that a system under which the young teachers serve their probationary period in the local schools, will give better results than did the supervisory plan. Moreover, it will be more just to local applicants and more satisfactory to the taxpayers who help to support the schools.

It is generally conceded that the school committee will make no mistake by abolishing the board of supervisors and establishing a merit system that will be what the name implies, one that will safeguard the schools against the appointment of the unfit, and against the teachers who lack the ability to govern or some other essential quality without which the teacher can never do successful work.

It is the system that is condemned rather than the method by which it was administered. This idea of saddling upon the grammar masters a duty and a responsibility that belonged to the office of superintendent was radically wrong, and yet it was but one instance of an absurd policy of devolution that has lifted practically all the responsibility from the shoulders of the superintendent until the office has degenerated to the status of a mere clerkship.

SCOOPED ON POPE'S DEATH

Hearst's Boston paper had a great scoop on its contemporaries yesterday in the exclusive announcement in "mourning extras" of the death of Pope Pius X with "official confirmation" by a cablegram from Rome. Even the scenes at the deathbed of His Holiness were minutely described "officially" also of course. Here is a sample of the dope:

> "Just before the pontiff yielded up his spirit, he spoke in sweetest accents to those around his bedside, whose prayers for his passing soul were broken by quiet sobbing."

While that "intelligence" was given to the public His Holiness was holding regular audiences at the Vatican, and the only excuse for such a fake was a Madrid despatch announcing that the pope was dead. This was promptly denied at Rome and the mistake was explained as an operator's error in interpreting a code message.

This is another illustration of the "reliability" of the Boston paper, for if it be so reckless on an important matter how much more so on matters of less account. This scoop was of the same class as that in which the same paper announced the election of Mr. Frothingham as governor last November. In that case the artistic mourning features and the elaboration of deathbed scenes were not deemed necessary; but the "news" was equally "official," having been confirmed by the "reliable" cable, wireless and yellow agencies with which the Boston organ is so lavishly equipped.

NEW SHINGLE ROOFS OUTLAWED

The town of Brookline is in many respects a model for the whole United States. It has public baths in which young people are taught to swim; it has splendid schools, including first-class manual training establishments, and now the town as a precaution against fire has adopted an ordinance against the use of shingles as roofing material. That means that all new houses are to have slate roofs, which is an excellent idea and one that should be adopted by other cities and towns in order to reduce the fire losses and cut down the insurance rates. There is so little difference in price of shingles and slates that it is poor policy anyhow to use shingles for roofing in any building bigger than a hencoop.

That the socialists are strong in Illinois may explain the victory of Roosevelt in that state.

SEEN AND HEARD

A man and his wife called at the treasurer's office at city hall a few days ago and as they left the office they were confronted by a small army of men and it seemed as if "Every mother's soul of 'em" was smoking. The place was filled with smoke, and after escorting his good frau to the carriage the indignant husband returned to the treasurer's office. "What business have these men out there smoking?" he asked, impatiently. "They are looking for work," replied that most genial of clerks, "Joe" Farrell.

"Very well, but how about the smoke?" queried the visitor.

"They are waiting for the commissioner of fire department and water works and they allow that where there is fire and water there must be some smoke," replied Mr. Farrell, and the visitor went his way.

WASTED TIME

It was nine o'clock last evening when
some callers came to call.
I was sitting in a corner with my back
against the wall.
Within a heap of clover lying in my
lap, and taking pains
With my clumsy, fumbling fingers at
contriving clover chains,
With my youngest crouched beside me
with her glad blue eyes alight,
Choosing long-stemmed blossoms, telling me which way was right;
And the hour was filled with laughter,
'twas a most engrossing game,
Till the doorbell changed its summons
and until our callers came.

Jinx said, standing there above me
with a pitying sort of smile,
"I can't see, not for a minute, how you
can find it worth while
To waste time the way you're doing on
such foolish, childish things;
Don't catch me at any nonsense; when
one of my children brings
Playroom stuff to me to fool with,
that's the time they go to bed;
None of that in mine!" I pondered on
the words my caller said,
And I thought of the young Jinxes
back at home there fast asleep,
And my heart was filled with pity for
each lonesome little heap.
"Wasted time," my caller called it
wasted time to bring such joy
To the heart of a wee girlie, or a little
bit o' boy
That through all the years of living
they will smile when they recall
How their daddy, in the corner with his
back against the wall
Played at games to make them happy,
how their mother loved at night
To cut rows of paper dollies for a little girl's delight.
Humph! I went on with my weaving,
adding new links onto links -
Wasted time! You bet I wasn't wasting any time on Jinx.

—Judd Mortimer Lewis.

Mayor Baker of Cleveland said at a recent democratic banquet, apropos of a disgruntled statesman:

"He was disgruntled, and he had a right to be disgruntled, and all our consolation and comfort rang as hollow as the keeper's consolation to the poor shot.

"A poor shot made a dreadful exhibition of himself while rabbiting. Finally a rabbit, about five yards in front, sat down broadside of him, and he took slow and careful aim.

"It seemed to him he couldn't miss such a splendid broadside, and after the report he opened his eyes and said to the keeper, hopefully:

" 'Well, did I hit him?'

"The keeper scratched his ear.

" 'I dunno, sir,' he said, 'as I can exactly say you hit him, but I never seen a rabbit wuss skairt.' "

The recent high price of eggs and the present back-to-the-soil movement combine to give this fugitive anecdote a timely tinge.

One of the back-to-the-soilers went to raising chickens with great enthusiasm and small success this winter.

"I sent him out to gather eggs a few days ago," his wife relates. "In about an hour he returned to the house, perspiring profusely, but empty handed. 'Where are the eggs?' I asked.

" 'There ain't none,' he answered. 'And that ain't the worst of it. I wouldn't kick about not getting any eggs, but what gets my goat is to see all those high priced hens standing around the yard and not even trying to do anything.' "

PEOPLE OF NOTE

The cornerstone of the new Spanish chapel at 156th street and Broadway, New York, which is to be known as Our Lady of Hope, was laid on Tuesday. Mgr. M. J. Lavello officiated at the ceremony, and only a few invited guests were present. It is expected that the building will be completed in June and will then be consecrated by Cardinal Farley. It will be one of the group comprising the Hispanic museum, the Numismatic society building and that of the American Geographical society.

The ground was given by Archer Huntington and the architect is Chas. P. Huntington, who also designed the other buildings of the group. Mrs. Manuel de Barril first interested Mr. Huntington in providing a place of worship for Spaniards in this city, and since her death her daughter, Miss Marie de Barril, has done much in promoting the raising of funds. This work has been in charge of a committee named by Cardinal Farley, and composed of Alberto Leon, Miguel Martinez, Nicholas Laenz, Antonio Gonzalez and Alberto Falcop.

Roman renaissance is the style of the new building. The interior decorations are by Caryl Coleman. King Alfonso gave a large lamp. The church will be in charge of the Fathers of the Assumption, who now conduct the Spanish chapel at 229 West Fourteenth street. Father Adrian Buisson is the rector.

Sir John Hare, the English actor, who has not appeared professionally in New York since 1901 and who is 68 years of age, arrived in New York with Lady Hare by the White Star liner Olympic on the way to Ottawa. Sir John said he would be a judge at a competition between amateur dramatic societies of Canada. He had been originally invited to act in this capacity several years ago by Earl Grey, but had been unable to do so. The Duke of Connaught, the present governor-general of Canada, had renewed the invitation and Sir John said he found it possible to accept.

"I have practically retired from the stage," Sir John said. "I do not expect to come back here again to act. As I have been forty-six years acting I think I am entitled to retire."

Thirty-five of the "leading cartoonists and caricaturists of New York" gave a dinner at Martin's to F. B. Opper, who, according to the speakers, is the dean of the caricaturists and cartoonists of America. Walt McDougall from Philadelphia did the introducing and found a chance to make a speech himself. He said that Dean Opper was only an excuse for having a dinner, but that if there must be an excuse he was a good one. Dean Opper allowed as how he was glad and proud to be the excuse for the first dinner the "leading cartoonists and caricaturists of New York" ever held, and he hoped all the bright young men of the fraternity would stick to their glorious profession long enough so that they could have dinners given for them.

There was some discussion about the deanship, as to whether the honor didn't belong to W. A. Rogers of the Herald, to E. W. Kemble of Harper's Weekly or to Mr. McDougall, but when Mr. Opper tried to resign in some other grayhead's favor there were loud cries of protest.

Somebody undertook to sum up Dean Opper's past life, and told how that he was 60 years old and had been doing pictures for the American for twelve years, ever since he left Puck. It was decided that the only legal action now pending against him was comic supplementary proceedings. A few of those who applauded all the compliments paid to Dean Opper were Tad, Winsor McCay, R. Dirks, William H. Walker, Rudolph Bleck, C. R. Macauley, Archie Gunn, N. J. Steinigans, James Swinnerton and Erhart.

William T. Ewbanks of Flushing, Queens, New York, died Wednesday at Dr. Harrison's sanitarium in Whitestone, aged 84 years. He was born in the house in Washington street in which he lived all his life. He was of Quaker ancestry. His father kept a general store and when he died, about fifty years ago, he left his entire fortune to his son. It was then the largest personal fortune in Flushing. Mr. Ewbanks a few years ago deeded valuable property to St. George's church with the understanding it was to be managed for his benefit until his death, when the parish was to come into full possession of it.

Mr. Ewbanks tried to impress upon his neighbors his views regarding economy. He had cards and calendars printed which at times he distributed from door to door. Maxims concerning frugality were printed on these unsolicited gifts. If he thought a man was exceeding his income in household expenditures Mr. Ewbanks would make a call and hand to the occupant of the house a card bearing the advice:

"If you are more economical in your expenditures your grocer will not have to dun you so much."

When he saw young men with no visible means of support wearing costly clothing he would stop them on the street and present a card which was printed:

"If your clothes did not cost so much you would not have to look the other way when you see your haberdasher coming up the street."

He was a member of the Flushing Historical society and the Flushing Association and took an active part in the village improvements. He never married.

LIVING SKELETON NO MORE

THINNEST MAN IN BIRMINGHAM GAINS FIFTY POUNDS IN NINETY DAYS

Appearance So Changed Friends Hardly Knew Him. Tells How He Did It

George ("Slats") Bonnett, night clerk at Shelter Inn, and known to every resident as Birmingham's "human beanpole," has suddenly gained 50 lbs. in weight. Bonnett, who, it is said, once refused a circus offer to exhibit himself as the living skeleton, has for years maintained an even weight of 103 pounds. He is nearly six feet tall. He has never enjoyed his reputation for leanness or the many jokes that have been made at his expense, and says he has tried every means he ever heard of to put on flesh, without result. His appetite was always good and he fairly gorged himself on the so-called flesh forming foods. He used Cod Liver Oil, various advertised flesh producers and tonics galore, but did not increase his weight one ounce. Doctors told him his trouble was "Mal-Nutrition," and that all the flesh making elements in his food, instead of being assimilated by the blood, were passing through his body as waste. They admitted they could not make him stout and told him to be happy so long as he had his health.

But about six months ago Bonnett's health failed him, a complication of Kidney Trouble and Intestinal Indigestion demanded immediate medical attention. His physician prescribed for him a most original course of treatment. He employed certain harmless drugs for the kidneys and intestines but because of the complications in his patient's case, combined them in a way he had never used before. Two weeks later he found Bonnett practically cured and was amazed to learn that he had in addition gained 10 lbs. in weight. Though hardly believing at the time, that his treatment had caused this rapid increase, he urged Bonnett to continue as the ingredients were absolutely harmless. In three weeks he had gained 16 lbs. and at the end of 30 days, 22 lbs. Now, after three months' treatment Bonnett weighs 153 lbs., a clear gain of 50 lbs. and is still growing stout, though the doctor says he can stop any time by merely stopping the treatment. His appearance is so changed and improved that old patrons of the hotel, on registering, hardly know him and think a new man is on the desk.

Here is the prescription which Mr. Bonnett used: Tincture Cardamoms Compound 2 ozs., Elixir of Calisaya 2 ozs., Fluid Saltogyn 2 ozs., Water 2 ozs. Directions: Ask the druggist to mix all the ingredients except the Saltogyn in an 8 oz. bottle and have him give you the Saltogyn separately. When you get home add half the Saltogyn and shake well. After taking three doses add the remainder of the Saltogyn shake again and continue taking. Dose: Two tablespoonfuls 20 minutes before meals.

Mr. Bonnett's physician says that the same prescription can be filled by any druggist and that he believes Bonnett's experience can be duplicated by any thin man or woman. He adds that while the treatment is wonderfully effective for Kidney and Intestinal trouble that it should never be used in this combination unless the patient also desires to take on weight, as in a number of later tests made upon other thin people it has in every instance caused an increase of 3 to 4 lbs. a week.

Inquiry develops the fact that Riker-Jaynes drug store, this city, has all the ingredients in stock and will fill the prescription promptly and carefully at any time.

CHELMSFORD

The monthly social and supper held at the church vestry last evening, under the auspices of the Unitarian society was a grand success. The supper was served at 6.30 o'clock and 150 enjoyed the luncheon. A pleasing musical program arranged by Arthur M. Warren was given and it was greatly enjoyed. The program started at 8 o'clock and was as follows: Orchestra selections, (a) "Home from Camp," march; (b) cornet solo, violins, Dr. Amasa Howard, Ludger Lavergne, W. E. Adams; cornet, G. Thomas Parkhurst; clarinet, C. M. Cushman; trombone, Louis LaTour; pianist, Henry Johnson; solo, "You Must Think I'm Santa Claus," Herbert Ellis of North Billerica; selection by orchestra; reading, "A Yankee Ballad," Rev. L. L. Greene; solo, "A Dream," by J. C. Bartlett, A. M. Warren; orchestra; solo, "The Chink of the Miser's Gold," Herbert Ellis; orchestra; solo, "Answer," by Robyn, A. M. Warren; orchestra. The supper was in charge of Fred Chandler, assisted by J. E. Warren, W. H. Hall, V. L. Parkhurst, H. S. Adams, and the waiters were, A. I. Hill, Sidney Perham, H. W. Sweetser, Elmer R. Hill, A. H. Fletcher, C. J. Holt, Ben Cole, A. C. Perham, M. A. Bean.

Any article to be inserted in the warrant for the special town meeting to be held in May must be placed with the selectmen not later than 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. A. Heady Park of South Chelmsford has announced his candidacy for selectman to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Charles Lyons.

Watuppas, Prescott, Miner's, tonight.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

How to Have A Beautiful Complexion

One of our lady readers who found that her skin was becoming harsh and dry from the use of powders, rouge and creams, sends us the formula below. She states that the simple, harmless, and inexpensive lotion made therefrom softened her skin, and so greatly enhanced the beauty of her complexion that she has entirely done away with all other preparations which she had been accustomed to use. This lotion can easily be prepared at home or by any good druggist. It calls for two ounces of Rose Water, one drachm Tincture of Benzoin, and two ounces Flowers of Oxzoin. Mix together and apply night and morning with the hands or use a soft cloth or sponge. Always shake well before using. Our obliging correspondent asks that her name be withheld for personal reasons, but nevertheless gives us the permission to publish her letter for the benefit of other readers. She adds that this formula was given her by a woman 65 years old whose youthful complexion and almost total absence of wrinkles were a source of wonder and admiration to all who knew her.

Reference to the Riker-Jaynes drug store of this city, brings out the statement that these ingredients are all regularly carried in their stock and that they can fill the prescription at any time.

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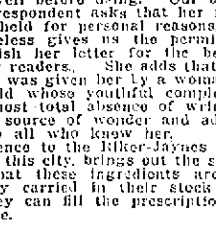

Notice to Abutters

Office of Commissioner of Streets and Highways.

Lowell, Mass., April 8, 1912.

The city is about to pave East Merrimack street between Howe street and Fayette street.

In consequence of which it is desirable that all persons who contemplate digging up the street mentioned above for the purpose of making sewer, gas or water connections, or for any other purpose whatsoever, do so at once, as under the provisions of the city ordinance no permit will be given to any person to disturb the surface of said street for a period of five years after said improvements are completed, except as otherwise provided in the ordinance.

GEORGE H. BROWN,
Commissioner of Streets and Highways.

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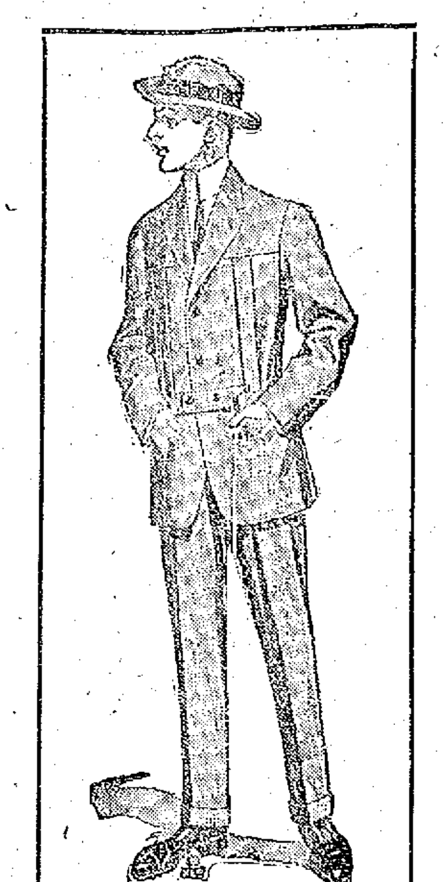

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201 MIDDLESEX STREET

SITUATION IS GRAVE

It is Feared Flood May Break Levees in Arkansas

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 12.—Telephone communication was lost during the morning with Luxora and Marked Tree, Ark., and the last news heard from the first two named towns was that the levee situation was very grave. This announcement was made by the St. Francis levee board.

The last report from Marked Tree said the water was rising steadily there at about an inch an hour.

Telegrams to United States Senator Clark of Arkansas were forwarded today by the St. Francis levee board asking him to take up with the federal authorities the question of distribution of corn and cotton seed for spring planting.

FLOOD FIGHTERS

ARE PUTTING UP A GREAT BATTLE

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 12.—The little armies of flood fighters are holding their own all along the upper stretches of the Mississippi river today. At Luxora and Osceola, Ark., the situation is still critical and breaks may occur although the flood is gradually receding and the end of the crisis is in sight. A fast boat with a cargo of provisions for the villagers was started from Memphis this morning. The river here continues to fall slowly.

In the Memphis district Helena, Ark., is becoming the center of interest. Water from three breaks is making its way back into the Mississipi river through the St. Francis river, which empties into the Mississippi just above that city. However, the levee at Helena is unusually strong and it is believed it will withstand the pressure.

RIVER IS RISING

GREENVILLE, Miss., April 12.—The river here today stands at 50.5 feet, a rise of two tenths of a foot since yesterday. This is one and four-tenths feet higher than at previous recordings but all levees are holding strong at Greenville and elsewhere in this vicinity.

MAN MURDERED

George E. Marsh of Lynn Found With Five Bullet Wounds in Body

LYNN, April 12.—The body of George E. Marsh, president of the Good Will Soap Manufacturing company of this city was found beside the Point of Pines boulevard near the Narrow-gauge railroad station today. There were five bullet wounds in the body and the police believe that Marsh was murdered.

The body was found at the bottom of a bank on the west side of the boulevard, about ten minutes' walk from the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn station.

The motive of the supposed murder is a mystery. There were five bullet wounds in the chest. A sum of money was found on the clothing. There was no evidence of a struggle and there was but little blood on the body.

The police, after viewing the body, expressed the opinion that possibly Marsh had been killed at some other place and that his body had been carried down the boulevard under cover of darkness and placed where it was discovered.

Mr. Marsh, so far as is known, had no enemies. He was prominent in the social and business affairs of this city.

VOTE OF ENGINEERS

Will be in Favor of Strike, it is Said

NEW YORK, April 12.—Six boxes of the ballots cast by the locomotive engineers on as many different eastern railroads had failed to reach New York today and until they are found there will be no announcement of the result of the strike vote recently polled on the five eastern railroads. Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, so declared today. The boxes were sent by express and should have reached New York Wednesday night. Tracers had been sent after the men. Mr. Stone said, and he felt sure that they would be delivered some time during the day.

Returns from 8 railroads had been totaled up to this morning. Some of the leaders declared that indications were that the vote would be heavily in favor of strike.

"This does not mean," Mr. Stone said, "that there will be a strike. The question before the engineers is whether they will authorize their officers.

FAMILY MURDERED

Their Heads Crushed With an Axe

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 12.—Wm. Burton, his wife and two children, and Leon Evers, his brother-in-law, all negroes, were murdered while asleep in their home here early today. The head of each victim appears to have been crushed with an axe and butcher knives were found sticking in all bodies except those of the children.

CLARA BARTON

Founder of Red Cross Society Dead

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Miss Clara Barton, founder of the American Red Cross society, died at her home in Glen Echo, Md., at 9 a. m. today. The cause of her death was chronic pneumonia, with which she was stricken about a year ago. Her brother Stephen Barton of Boston was with her when she died. Miss Barton was born at Oxford, Mass., in 1821.

Miss Barton had been confined to her home, "Red Cross", at Glen Echo since last fall when she returned from a visit to New England. It was thought here the trip was beneficial but soon afterward she was taken seriously ill. She celebrated her 90th birthday anniversary Dec. 25 when she received many messages of congratulation from all parts of the world.

JOSEPH CRISTO

Lowell Runner in the Marathon Race

Joseph Cristo, Lowell's famous marathon runner, is completing his training for the Boston Athletic club marathon to be held next Friday. Cristo not only believes he will win the race but is confident that he can clip several minutes off the time of Clarence Demar, who holds the record of 2.22 for the famous sprint. Joe was out with the birds this morning, jaunting along sixteen miles of road, more or less, about the outskirts of Lowell and finishing his canter with a three mile dash around the South common. Many marathon experts, who were on the way to work, were deeply impressed with the mercury-like speed of the local boy and all declared that, should he display the same championship form along the highways from Ashland to Boston, he will surely breast the tape an easy winner over the 150 odd runners who will take part in the famous running classic. Last year, Lowell's marathon champion competed in the B. A. A. race and, finishing with a brilliant sprint, won out against the other Lowell runners entered. In the event of Joe's winning this year, which is not at all unlikely, he, it is said, will enter the professional ranks and issue a challenge to Hans Holmer, Tom Longboat and a few other money chasers to contest for the American championship. If through some unforeseen accident, however, he does not win, he will probably enter the five mile run at the South common on Memorial day. In any event he is sure to be heard from for some time to come, for, win or lose, Joe can never be accused of not being a "comeback."

MAN KILLED A BOY

Because the Latter Sought to Recover Lost Ball

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 12.—After battering the skull of little Paul Kling into bits with a shovel because he had invaded his garden to hunt for a lost baseball, Ralph Torello took to the woods. A large crowd of volunteer searchers, the entire detective force of the city and bloodhounds are hunting for him.

Torello, who is middle-aged, lives near the ball field in Hamden, where a crowd of youngsters were frollicking. The ball was batted over the fence into his yard, and he called sarcastically to Kling, who had started after it, "You just come in here and get it."

The boy, taking the remark as an invitation to enter the yard and get the ball, dashed inside the gate. Torello picked up a shovel and sent it crashing down upon the lad's head. He was about to repeat the blow upon the unconscious form of the boy stretched at his feet, when his wife wrested the shovel from his grasp.

Members of the juvenile nine, catching sight of the senseless form of their comrade, dashed for Torello, who leaped over a back fence and escaped.

The Kling boy was taken to the hospital, where he died without recovering consciousness. An autopsy was held, which showed that his skull was badly fractured and that several pieces of bone had been driven into his brain by the blow.

A reward of $100 has been issued by the Hamden town officials for Torello's arrest.

ACTION OF TORT

An attachment in the sum of $10,000 was recorded at the registry of deeds office late yesterday afternoon against Theodore Kaperdas by Victoria Keirnan, in action of tort.

GABY DESLYS' BEAUTIFUL HAIR

While Gaby Deslys was charming the theatre-goers of New York, her beautiful hair, with its bright, silken sheen, was the source of constant admiration. This delightful actress explained that the beauty and remarkable luster of her hair was due largely to her scalp being kept perfectly clean, as only from a clean, healthy scalp can beautiful hair grow.

A mistake most women make is in shampooing with soap. It does not cleanse the scalp thoroughly and the alkali dulls the hair, destroying whatever brilliance it may have. If one will shampoo with a teaspoonful of canthrox dissolved in a cup of hot water, the scalp will be immaculately clean and the hair will take on that wonderful luster and fluffiness which has imparted such a charm to Gaby Deslys.

CITY OF LOWELL

No. 124 C. V. April 12, 1912.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Jeremiah Bailey, Catherine Bailey, Bailey & Co., have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the first class as Common Victuallers, at Nos. 7-11 Whipple street and bulkhead in rear of said 7-11 Whipple street, in four rooms on first floor; liquor to be kept, but not sold, in cellar.

By order of the License Commission,
JOHN J. MULLANEY, Chairman.

TAFT'S BROTHER

SAYS THAT THE PRESIDENT WILL BE RE-ELECTED

WASHINGTON, April 12.—C. P. Taft of Cincinnati, a brother of the president, who was a guest of the president at the White House today, gave out the following statement:

"President Taft will receive the nomination and he will be re-elected. Democrats admit he is the only man they fear in November. If the attacks against him were based on the results of his administration or on his conduct in office it might be different but it must be borne in mind that the only real opposition to him is prejudice and appeals to passion, the most dangerous things to the future of the country since the Civil war."

THE BACHELORS

WILL GIVE THEIR ANNUAL SHOW TONIGHT

Never before has such a string of the best vocalists and comedians in the city appeared on the same program, as that which the 20th Century Bachelor club will present tonight, in Associate hall. The club will depart from its usual custom of presenting a minstrel overture and give a clever get-up on the life and frivolities of collegians in "College Pranks." The piece is without doubt one of the funniest and cleverest that any local organization has ever produced and is bound to add other laurels to the club. Tickets for the entertainment are going fast and a record crowd is expected. Everything which will add to the comfort of the audience has been attended to, and while the attendance will be a large one there need not be the least fear of anyone being uncomfortable. The box office will be opened at 7 o'clock and any person who has been unable to procure tickets can purchase them at the hall after that hour.

The entertainment will start at 8.15 sharp.

Milady's Toilet Table

By Mme. DEMILLE

Many women whose upper lips and cheeks are free from that downy growth that humiliates some women feel embarrassed wearing short sleeves, because of hair on the forearms. Superfluous hairs are easily and quickly removed by applying delatone paste. Mix enough powdered delatone with water to cover the hairy surface; apply, and after two or three minutes rub off, wash the skin, and the hairs will be gone.

Nine times out of ten when a woman looks old before her time she has neglected her complexion. Dissolve in a half pint of witch hazel an original package of mayatone and gently rub a little on face, neck and arms, and you will be delighted with results. Use this daily instead of powder or other cosmetics and the skin will be smooth, soft and satinlike. Mayatone preserves and restores youthful loveliness of skin.

When a woman does not care to risk catching cold washing her head she can get splendid results by dry shampooing. Put a cupful of corn meal (or four ounces of powdered orris root) in a fruit jar, add the contents of a small original package of therox and shake well together. Sprinkle a little on the head and brush thoroughly. Therox encourages the growth of hair and makes it beautifully lustrous, glossy and fluffy.

No toilet table is complete without a jar of Mother's Salve. It is a sovereign remedy for chaps, cold sores, pimples, eczema and skin eruptions. It heals cuts, burns, scalds and long-standing sores. It is antiseptic as well as healing and lessens danger of blood poisoning.

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THEY VOTED TO STRIKE

Engineers Decide to Quit Work Unless Demands Are Granted

NEW YORK, April 12.—By a majority of more than 23,000 out of 200,000 votes cast locomotive engineers on 50 railroads east of Chicago and north of the Norfolk & Western have authorized their officers to call a strike should further negotiations with the railroads for increased pay fail. The count of the vote was completed at noon today and the result made known immediately by Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, to J. C. Stuart, chairman of the General Managers Association of the Railroads. The general managers have called a meeting to be held here April 15 to consider the result of the vote. The engineers' officers have notified Mr. Stuart that they would remain here for a reasonable time to await a counter proposition of the railroads. The original demands of the engineers for increase in pay aggregating 15 per cent. were recently rejected by the roads.

Mr. Stone declared that he did not wish to comment upon the result. "It speaks for itself," he said. "The next move is up to the railroads."

"If the railroads do not make a counter proposition, will you call a strike?" he was asked.

"That is not a fair question at this time," he replied. "I cannot answer it now.

As soon as the result was reached Mr. Stone wrote a letter to Mr. Stuart despatching it to him by special messenger. While no formal vote was taken on the matter the engineers will probably remain here until April 6 awaiting further word from the railroads.

A representative of the General Managers association said this afternoon that no formal call had been issued for the meeting which is scheduled for April 15 and that a meeting might be held either prior or subsequent to that date. Mr. Stuart had nothing to say concerning the result of the vote, further than that he would place before his colleagues.

ARMED MEXICANS

Sent to Reinforce the Garrisons

NOGALES, Ariz., April 12.—Three hundred Mexicans, fully armed and equipped, arrived in Nogales, Sonora, from Hermosilla yesterday and were sent to reinforce the Agua Prieta and Naco garrisons. Nogales, Sonora, across the border from Nogales, Ariz., will, it is stated, be the federal base of supplies.

Many volunteers are joining the federals forces in an effort to crush any attempt to carry the rebellion into the state of Sonora, where the sentiment is for peace.

CHILD SWIMMER

Will Attempt to Cross Lake Mascuppic

Little Arthur Remillard, aged 26 months, the well known little swimmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Remillard, of 93 Worthen st. is preparing for a swim across Lake Mascuppic. The little chap is now handicapped by a bad cold which he probably caught a few days ago when he swam across the Merrimack river above the falls.

The child is a born swimmer and his stunts last summer opened the eyes of many who could not believe a little one who at that time was about 18 months old, could perform such aquatic stunts. The little fellow swam 45 yards at that time and dived into six feet of water. He is well developed for his age and his muscles are very powerful for his size, so much so that his father did not hesitate a minute a few days ago to have him attempt to cross the Merrimack river above the falls.

Little Arthur did not find the water very cold, and swam as though the temperature had been 80 degrees. The father followed him in a boat, but his services were not required.

On May 30th, Arthur will attempt to cross Lake Mascuppic from Mountain Rock to Willow Dale, and his father is very confident he will swim successfully. The boy who speaks a few words is daily crying and begging his mother to put him in the bath tub. His delight is to be in the water and once in he refuses to come out no matter how cold the water may be.

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About 100,000 Rolls Imported Fadeless Oatmeals, choice, roll ... 25c

About 75,000 Rolls High Grade 75c and $1.00 Papers, choice, roll ... 40c

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About 100,000 yards 1912 style Cut Out Borders, choice, yard ... 1c to 49c

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BOSTON TEAMS WON

They Opened the Season Yesterday With Victories

The baseball season of the major leagues was formally opened yesterday with large crowds at all games. The weather was very propitious for the games and despite the fact that some of the teams did not get much chance to train in the south, owing to the disagreeable weather conditions, all played smoothly and only a few mistakes were made.

The feature of the opening from a Lowell standpoint was that both the Boston teams won their first games. The Boston Nationals with a new owner, new president, new manager, new park and several new players won from Charlie Dooin's Phillies with the great Alexander in the box. The game was very exciting and the all round work of Kling's heroes was of a very high order. Spratt, who played at short, owing to the injury to Erid ell was the star batter of the game. He got a home run, a three-bagger and a single. Perdue, who pitched for Boston was in fine form and allowed nine hits. The other members of the team showed up well and the 10,204 fans who were present are satisfied that the team is a great improvement over the ones that have representd Boston in the National league for several years. The score:

BOSTON.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Sweeney, 2b	5	1	1	3	2	1
Campbell, cf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Miller, rf	5	2	2	2	0	0
Jackson, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Houser, 1b	4	2	2	3	1	0
Spratt, ss	4	1	3	1	0	0
McDonald, 2b	3	0	1	6	1	0
Kling, c	4	0	1	7	0	0
Perdue, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	7	12	27	5	1

PHILADELPHIA.

Knabe, 2b	4	1	2	1	5	0
Titus, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Paskert, cf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Cravath, lf	4	1	3	2	0	0
Luderus, 1b	5	0	1	14	0	0
Walsh, 3b	1	0	0	0	3	1
Doolan, ss	4	1	2	0	3	0
Dooin, c	4	0	0	6	1	0
Alexander, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Graham, x	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	4	9	24	13	1

x—Batted for Alexander in the 9th.

Boston	0	0	0	3	1	1	2	0	*	—7
Philadelphia	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	—4

Two base hits: Doolan, Miller 2, Houser, Cravath 3, Luderus. Three base hit: Spratt. Home run: Spratt. Sacrifice hits: Titus, Campbell. Stolen bases: McDonald, Miller. Left on bases: Boston 8, Philadelphia 10. First base on balls: Off Perdue 4; off Alexander 2. First base on errors: Boston 1, Philadelphia 1. Struck out: By Perdue 3; by Alexander 5. Time: 1.36. Umpires: Rigler and Finneran.

The results in the other National league games were as follows:

	r.	h.	e.
New York	18	20	2
Brooklyn	3	7	3
(6 innings, darkness)			
Cincinnati	10	14	1
Chicago	6	10	1
St. Louis	7	13	1
Pittsburgh	0	4	1

BOSTON AMERICANS WON

The Boston Americans also played a fine game at the New York Highlanders' grounds and came back strong in the last inning when they piled up 4 runs and won out in one of the best opening games on the circuit. The game was a pitchers' battle between Joe Wood and Caldwell up to the last inning when the latter weakened. Wood pitched the entire game and was in rare form. The hitting was rather light, each team getting seven hits. The attendance at this game was the smallest of all the opening games, the weather being very cold. 7000, however, braved the breezes and enjoyed the contest.

New York took the lead in the first inning. Wood started wild and passed two men, which with Daniels' hit, Chase's sacrifice and Cree's out resulted in two runs. Boston scored once on Hooper's hit, an error and Stahl's sacrifice fly. The visitors won the game in the ninth by lunching four hits on Caldwell, who was relieved by Vaughn after the damage had been done.

Cree's field was the feature of the New York's playing and Hooper's work in right and Wood's pitching and all-round playing at the bat and in the field marked the visitors' playing. The score:

BOSTON

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Hooper, rf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Yerkes, 2b	5	0	0	3	2	0
Speaker, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Stahl, 1b	2	1	0	11	1	0
L. Gardner, 3b	3	0	0	1	3	0
Lewis, lf	4	1	1	0	1	1
Wagner, ss	4	1	2	1	2	0
Nunamaker, c	3	1	1	3	1	0
Wood, p	4	0	2	4	3	0
Totals	31	5	7	27	16	1

NEW YORK

Wolter, rf	3	1	2	1	0	0
Daniels, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Chase, 1b	3	0	0	7	2	0
Cree, lf	3	0	0	5	2	0
Hartzell, ss	3	1	1	4	5	0
Dolan, 3b	4	0	1	0	2	0
E. Gardner, 2b	4	0	1	4	1	0
Street, c	4	0	0	5	2	2
Caldwell, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Vaughn, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simonds, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	3	7	27	13	2

x—Batted for Vaughn in the 9th.

Boston	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	—5
New York	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—3

Hits: Off Caldwell 7 in 8 1-3 innings; off Vaughn none in 2-3 innings. Sacrifice fly: Stahl. Sacrifice hits: Chase, Daniels, L. Gardner. Stolen bases: Hooper, Hartzell, E. Gardner, Wolter. Double play: Street and E. Gardner. Left on bases: Boston 6, New York 6. First base on balls: Off Caldwell 4; off Wood 2. First base on errors: Boston 1; New York 1. Struck out: By Caldwell 5; by Vaughn 1; by Wood 2. Passed ball: Street. Time: 2.02. Umpires: Messrs. Connolly and Hart.

The results at the other American league games were as follows:

	r	h	e
Chicago	6	9	1
St. Louis	2	7	3
Cleveland	3	7	2
Detroit	2	5	3
(11 innings)			
Philadelphia	4	7	3
Washington	2	4	3

GAMES TODAY

(Americans)

Boston at New York.
Washington at Philadelphia.
Detroit at Cleveland.
St. Louis at Chicago.

(Nationals)

Philadelphia at Boston.
New York at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Lincolns will open their season Saturday, April 13th, at Lincoln park, when they will cross bats with the Waltham A. A., a team composed of former Waltham High school stars. The Waltham boys made quite a record last year, and are out to repeat, so the game should be hotly contested from the start. The Lincoln line-up will include the following men: Reynolds, Gorgin, Bowman, Pukeshite, Durkin, Allen, Regnier, Chadwick and McDowell. Game called at 3 o'clock.

The Bellevue A. C. would like to play any 16-17 year old teams in the city. Games wanted for the 20th of April, May 11, 18 and 25. Address Wm. Mitchell, 143 Chelmsford street.

The Bellevue baseball team play the Rockland A. C. on Saturday afternoon, April 13. The lineup for the Bellevues will be as follows: Mitchell c, Lawson p, Berard 1b, Jim Ward 2b, John Ward ss, R. McDonald 3b, F. Brule lf, A. Levasseur cf, Caron and Lawrence rf.

The Graves opened the season yesterday by defeating the All Stars 12 to 2.

The Crimson A. C. would like to arrange games with any team in the city under 18 years of age. Send challenges to James Davies, 48 Fremont street.

The Wamesit A. C. accepts the challenge of the Graves and will meet them on the South common, April 20. Signed,

George Delaney, Manager.

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Young Stone vs. Kid Roach
Kid Tessier vs. Tommy Doyle
Gardner Brooks vs. Spike Kennedy

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SECOND FLOOR

YOUNG "PHENOMS" WHO MAY HELP MAKE BASEBALL HISTORY

NEW YORK, April 12.—Harvest time is at hand for the big league baseball magnates. The crop of young players is about to be garnered, and before another week is passed the scythe will be swung through the field of candidates for berths in fast company, the wheat separated from the chaff and the prize winners gathered for the exhibitions this summer. Out of the hundreds of youngsters looked over few will stick in fast company, but nearly every club has discovered one or two men good enough to hang on to even though no regular position on the team can be found for them. Among those who have shown they are ready for a berth in fast company and who played well during the spring practice games are Pitcher Jeff Tesreau of the New York Giants. In this youngster McGraw believes he has a star young twirler. Brooklyn has been fortunate in picking up two very promising youngsters in Pitcher Allen and Outfielder Moran. According to critics, the last named should be one of the season's finds. He is a fine batter, swift base runner and an excellent fielder. The Chicago Americans have also been very lucky in picking up a crack pitcher in Delhi and a hard hitting first baseman in Fournier, a French Canadian. St. Louis experts believe Manager Bobby Wallace has landed a p. ze in Outfielder Pratt, who led the Southern association in batting last year. Wallace says he will be one of the sensations in the American league this season.

REGULARS WON

Defeated the Yannigans 11 to 7

The game between the Regulars and the Yannigans of the Lowell team at Spalding park yesterday afternoon resulted in a victory for the former by the score of 11 to 7. The game was very interesting and all the players showed to good advantage. The game gave all the men on the roster a chance and some excellent plays were pulled off.

There were many spectators present and all were favorably impressed with the work of the players. The squad went out this morning and will also engage in some lively work.

The feature of yesterday's game was the great batting of Magee, Rising, Boultes and Burke. The latter is a recruit catcher and Manager Gray is confident that he has the goods.

While the team is not made up yet, as the Lowell manager is anxious to give all the men a thorough try-out, he feels confident that it will be a very good one and that when the bell rings he will start out with all men in good form.

At the present time the pitching staff is well taken care of. The catching department has several clever candidates with Lavigne of last year's team, Tyler, Burke and Ragsdale, who was traded for Huston. For first base two men are out to beat Wright, the regular of last year. Cooney has short all his own way as has Boultes on third. Magee is strong in left field and for the other outfield positions there are several very good candidates. Second base is at present open, but for this position there are no less than three candidates.

Tomorrow the first team of the squad will play the St. Anselm's college nine and it is expected that a great crowd will be on hand. The game will start at 2.30 o'clock.

IN FINE CONDITION

Thomas and Martin are Ready For Bout

Tonight Joe Thomas and Terry Martin will meet in the main bout at the Lowell Social and Athletic club and as both are very popular men it is expected that the members of the organization will turn out strong to greet them. The bout is scheduled for 12 rounds and each expects to win before the limit is reached. Thomas, who may now be termed a Lowell man has trained very carefully for the match. Today he abandoned his morning run and gave his time to light boxing. His trainers say that he is in great shape and he himself claims that he was never better. Martin has been training in Boston and he too is reported to be finely conditioned for the contest. This bout will undoubtedly be one of the best ever seen in Lowell. Along with this bout three other good ones are on the card. The semi-final is scheduled to go eight rounds and will be furnished by Young Stone of Lowell and Kid Roach of Boston, two very clever men. Stone is in good shape, having put in a lot of work with Joe Thomas during the week. He is confident that he will defeat the fast Boston boy. The latter feels that as he has had sufficient time to get into shape that he will be able to put the Lowell boy away. In the bout between Tommy Doyle of the Acre and Kid Tessier of Centralville, the members are sure to see some fun. Their last meeting was a peach and both are there with the wallop and also with a little science on the side. The other "prelim" will be furnished by Gardner Brooks, a great favorite at the club and Kid Kennedy, also very popular. These are both fit for the go and their exhibition should be one of the evening's features. The meeting will start at 8.15 o'clock and Billy Gardner will officiate.

CALLED A DRAW

Willetts Nearly Beaten Finishes Strong

PHILADELPHIA, April 12.—In one of the fastest bouts witnessed at the Broadway A. C. this year, Johnny Willetts and Eddie Revoire, both local boys, went six clipping sessions, with honors even at the finish last night.

Revoire had a big lead until the middle of the third round, when he toppled Willetts to the mat with a right to the stomach for the count of nine. Willetts regained his strength, however, and pounded his opponent all over the ring for the remainder of the round.

Revoire was the aggressor from the start, but his punches did not seem to have any effect.

Revoire landed a hard right on the jaw at the beginning of the fifth round which seemed to shake Willetts, but the latter weathered it out and evened up the milling in the sixth.

MORRIS KNOCKS SIMONS OUT

NORTH ADAMS, April 12.—Andy Morris of Boston, substituting for Arthur Pelkey of Chicopee, who injured his hand at Westfield on Monday, stopped Ray Simons of New York in the sixth round before the Western Gateway A. C. of this city last night.

Right hooks to the jaw sent Simons down three times in the sixth, then he was counted out. The rival heavyweights put up a whirlwind bout while it lasted.

Young Baker of North Adams was stopped by Young Grady of Pownal in two rounds, while Kid Sequin of this city beat Chester Johnson of Adams in six rounds.

McCARTHY FINED $15

BOSTON, April 12.—Joseph J. McCarthy of South Boston, former treasurer of the American A. A., which lost its charter when Pres. Edward E. Kevin was convicted in the municipal court on a fight charge, was arraigned before Judge William Sullivan yesterday charged in five counts with promoting a public boxing exhibition at 7 Green street.

Five policemen testified to buying tickets for the bouts, but admitted to having difficulty in getting inside without producing their membership cards. They made excuses about meeting friends who were members, and three of the policemen said they called for certain real members, who pronounced them "all right" and they were passed in.

McCarthy denied that he ever let any one get into the club while he was on the door unless he was a member. Judge Sullivan observed that McCarthy as treasurer knew just what was going on, and if he didn't, it was his business to know. He then found him guilty on all the counts, fining him $15 on the first and placing the other four on file. McCarthy paid.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

To Take Action on Report of the Expert Accountant

The municipal council will meet next Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The report of the expert accountant relative to the city finances will be acted upon at that time and the matter of a site for a contagious hospital will also be discussed. It is the intention of the council to get down to business as soon as possible on the hospital question and it is expected that something definite will be arrived at on Tuesday.

A man by the name of Keefe called at Commissioner Cummings' office a few days ago and offered land on the top of Centralville Heights for a contagious hospital. He said he owns about 87,000 square feet of land there and he thinks it would be an ideal site for a contagious hospital. There are very few houses in the locality and the land is less than 60 feet from the main sewer.

Commissioner Cummings has an idea that it might be possible to arrange with the state to build a contagious hospital on the state's land in Tewksbury. "I do not know," said Mr. Cummings, "that satisfactory arrangements could be made but if it were possible to make such arrangements I think it would be a good idea to build a hospital near the state hospital in Tewksbury. The proposed hospital will have to be built according to plans of the state board of health and I don't see why the state couldn't build the hospital and let Lowell pay the freight. It could be built and conducted under the supervision of the state authorities. The law says that the city must build and maintain but it doesn't say that it shall build within the city limits, at least I do not understand it so. I do not know that the suggestion is worth anything but it seems to me that it wouldn't do any harm to look into it."

Commissioner Brown

The commissioner of streets and highways, George H. Brown, was going over the expert accountant's report when the city hall reporter for The Sun dropped in at his office this forenoon. The commissioner called to the reporter's attention that according to the accountant's figures there were but two years in the last ten or eleven years that anything had been paid on the temporary loan and one of those years was 1909, the year that he was mayor. The amount paid that year was $100,000 and in 1899 the sum of $25,000 was paid.

"I have been quoted as saying, last fall, that if elected I would save the city $100,000 the first year," said the commissioner, "and I want to say that I never made that statement. I did say that $100,000 would be required for this year and I claimed that enough new property could be unearthed to make up that amount. I believe that the city of Lowell is not receiving what it should receive in taxes and I have always maintained that the revenue of the city could be increased if the discovery of new property was properly gone into."

Another Mad Dog

Dr. Hamlet of the health department despatched another dog to the happy hunting ground this morning. The dog showed symptoms of rabies and was shot by the doctor. The dog was owned by a Mr. Collins of Clinton avenue.

More Roily Water

More complaints are coming in at the office of the commissioner of water works at city hall relative to roily water. One man sent a bottle of water to the office of the board of health today that he drew, he said, from the faucet in his house and it was pretty dirty water. The car sprinklers are responsible for the trouble, but Supt. Thomas of the water department believes that the blowing out of the water mains next Sunday afternoon will help some. The filling of the car sprinklers dislodges the sediment from the walls of the pipe and it is carried along with the water, and the blowing out process will do away with a lot of the sediment.

MAN SUES WOMAN

For Share of Race Track Winnings

NEW YORK, April 12.—Patrick J. Murphy, of Long Island City, a former bookmaker, told before Justice Benedict in the Queens Co. supreme court yesterday how he cleaned up $200,000 for himself and Mrs. Vitoline Foulke, his financial backer, formerly a resident of New York City, but now living in Montreal.

The testimony was given in a suit which Murphy brought to secure $6250 from Mrs. Foulke, which he alleged was the remainder of the profits belonging to him and which he claimed has been withheld.

"Mrs. Foulke furnished the money for me to carry on my operations," testified Murphy. "In one year I cleaned up $60,000. Mrs. Foulke accompanied me to the race tracks at Baltimore, Washington, Clifton, Monmouth Park, Jamaica, Gravesend, Aqueduct and Belmont Park. Whatever I made each day was divided equally between us. I do not take all the money due me. I was a liberal spender and Mrs. Foulke kept part of my money so that I would not spend it."

Murphy then testified that the business relations between them continued until January, 1911.

At the conclusion of the testimony of the plaintiff Attorney Carlyle Norwood, for Mrs. Foulke, made a motion to dismiss. Justice Benedict granted it on the grounds that it was a suit to recover profits from gambling operations, and, as gambling was prohibited by law, no suit could be sustained to recover the profits.

DAMAGED BY FIRE

Blaze on the Steamer Michigan

BOSTON, April 12.—The Warren line steamer Michigan was damaged by fire which broke out in number 5 hold of the liner while she was tied up at her pier in Charlestown today. The fire was placed under control with a comparatively small loss. The hold contained cotton, grain and general cargo. The Michigan was scheduled to leave for Liverpool today, but it is thought that the vessel will be detained because of the blaze.

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REPRESENTATIVES OF THE MINERS, WHO EXPECT TO MAKE SETTLEMENT

PHILADELPHIA, April 12.—A settlement of the differences between the miners and the operators seems sure as the result of conferences held in this city. The operators modified their refusal to consider the demands made by the United Mine Workers and offered to submit all differences to the anthracite strike commission appointed in 1902 by Theodore Roosevelt for arbitration. The offer was held in abeyance by President John P. White of the mine workers until a subcommittee of the miners and operators can further discuss the nine demands made by the miners. The miners chose the following as their representatives: John P. White, president; John Fahy of Shamokin, president of District No. 1; John T. Dempsey of Scranton, president of District No. 3; Thomas Kennedy of Hazleton, president of District No. 7.

BIG BOMB EXPLODED

In a Taxicab in Paris, Shaking the City

PARIS, April 12.—A bomb exploded inside a taxi auto in the Rue De Lyon this morning. The force of the explosion shock the greater part of the city and wrecked the motor car. The chauffeur and some pedestrians were injured.

The outrage is believed to have been committed by chauffeurs, who are on strike. The taxi was passing along the Rue De Lyon from the Place De La Bastille to the great railroad depot of the Lyons line. Many windows in the vicinity were smashed.

THE FIRE DEPT.

WAS KEPT QUITE BUSY YESTERDAY

The fire department was kept busy answering alarms yesterday, but none of the fires was of a serious nature.

At 1.50 o'clock in the afternoon a portion of the department was called to Florence avenue to extinguish a grass fire.

Shortly after four o'clock a brush fire broke out in the woods of the Livingston estate in Princeton street. The fire was extinguished before any material damage had been done.

A wire on a tree at the corner of Wannalancit and Pawtucket streets sputtered last night and a telephone alarm was sent to the fire department. No damage resulted.

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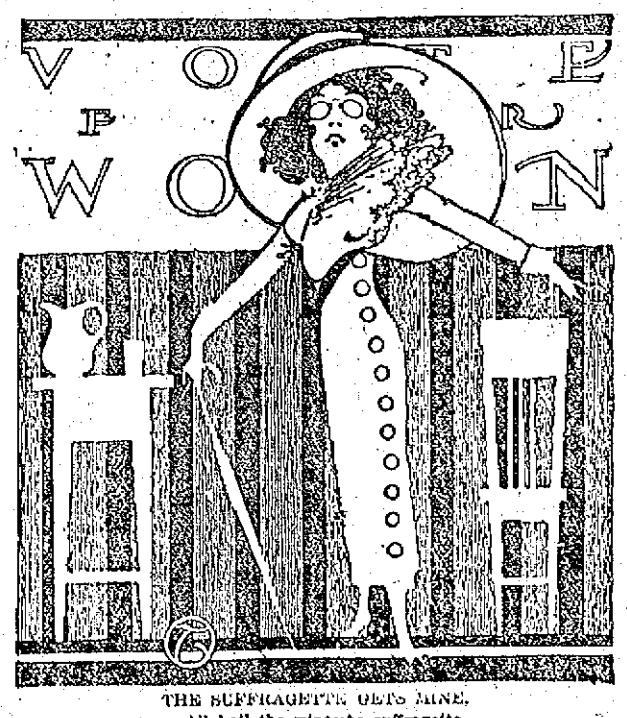


THE SUFFRAGETTE GETS MINE.

All hail the winsome suffragette,
On her I fairly dote.
When woman runs for office,
She's sure to get my—goat.

Where is a voter?

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE.

Upside down, under right arm.

A LITTLE NONSENSE

A GENTLE HINT.

Dr. Endee—Your husband needs a rest. I recommend a two-months' tour of Europe.

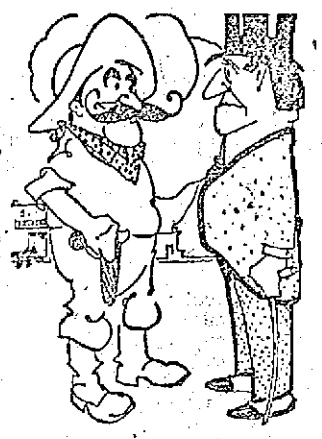
Mrs. Nagger—Fine! We'll leave next week.

Dr. Endee—Pardon me, but you misunderstood. He must go alone—I said he needed a rest

HOW MEAN.

Librettist—What do you think of my new musical comedy?

Critic—Beautiful. Who designed those lovely chorus dresses?



FAVORITE DIET.

Star—You have terribly rough audiences. Last night I was egged.

House Manager—Yep. Ham an' eggs is a popular dish out here.

MOST LIKELY.

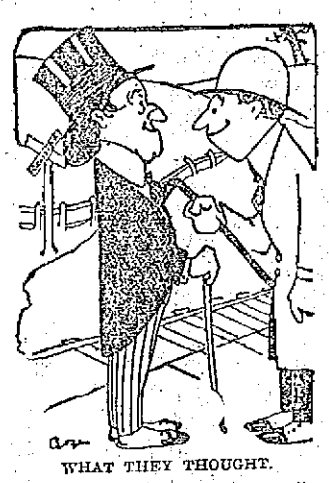
First Lawyer—Your Honor, I wish my client were here instead of lying in bed.

Second Lawyer—He is better lying in bed than lying here.

WHAT HE UNDERSTOOD.

Lawyer—So you want to get a divorce from your wife, eh? Aren't your relations pleasant?

Client—Mine are, but it's hers that do all the kicking.



WHAT THEY THOUGHT.

"The actors were tired out and disgusted from rehearsing the play Scribble wrote."

"What did they say of the production?"

"Said it was all work and no play."

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AN EXCELLENT 4-ROOM TENEMENT to let to a small family of adults, who do not smoke tobacco, with closet on floor and furnace in large cellar; front block, under me, at 79 Chestnut st. George E. Brown.

ROOM TO RENT—NICE SUNNY front room, steam heat, fine location, private house, rent reasonable to right party; gentlemen only. Address H., Sun Office.

4-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET AT 44 Mead st. Apply 48 Mead st.

THREE FLATS, 5 ROOMS, TO LET at 44 and 45 Elm st. 3 flats, 5 rooms, rear 81 Chapel st. 2 flats, 4 rooms, 147 Cushing st., $1.50 a week. 1 tenement, 45 Prospect st. 7 rooms, all fixed up new, and cheap rent. Inquire Joe Flynn, 71 Chapel st.

TENEMENT OF 4 ROOMS TO LET at 34 Gorham st., opposite post office. Inquire on premises.

UPSTAIRS TENEMENT OF SEVEN rooms, to let; bath, pantry, hot and cold water. 11 Floyd st.

LARGE FURNISHED ROOM IN private family, to let; all modern conveniences; home accommodations; meals if desired. 60 Sixth st. Tel. 1554-3.

MODERN APARTMENT TO LET; 6 rooms, bath, hot and cold water, furnace heat, set tubs. Inquire 345 Walker st.

TENEMENT TO LET AT 960 CENTral st. 6 rooms and bath, all in O. K. shape. Rent $11. Inquire at 506 Gorham st. Tenement to let at 503 Gorham st. Rent $9.

NICE 6-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET; gas, electric light, hot and cold water, furnace heat, rent $13 a month. 48 Dana st., Centralville.

PLEASANT, SUNNY 5-ROOM TENEMent, to let; gas, etc.; handy to the mills, rent low. No. 25 Fulton st., Centralville. Apply 276 Westford st.

7-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET; HOT water, bath furnace heat, $.27; at 44 Schafer st. Apply Schutz Furniture Co., 332 Middlesex st.

TENEMENT OF FIVE ROOMS TO let at 88 Chambers st. Rent reasonable. Apply on premises or 33 North street.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET; ALSO rooms for light housekeeping. Apply Horkman House, 357 Central st.

8-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET; $3; also 4-rooms, $1.75 per week; 5 minutes' walk from post office. Inquire Room 12, Central block.

TENEMENT OF 7 ROOMS TO LET; hot and cold water; set tubs; hot water heat; 5 minutes' walk from square. Apply 183 Stackpole st.

5-ROOM TENEMENTS TO LET; COR. Agawam and Griffin sts. Just been remodeled; up to date; $2.50 and $2.75 per week. Inquire of Greenwood Bros. or O. O. Greenwood, 150 Hale st. Tel. 3615-1 or 835-13.

STORE AND 3-ROOM TENEMENT to let at 363 Lawrence st. Rent $2.00. Inquire at 321 Lawrence st.

SUNNY 7-ROOM TENEMENT TO let, near Coral st. and Westford st.; $13 per month. Apply Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st.

4500 FEET OF FLOOR SPACE, SUITable for paint shop, carpenter shop or for storage, to let, on Middlesex st., over the Maxwell-Mackenzie garage, 828 to 836 Middlesex st. Apply Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st.

BARN NEAR DEPOT, TO LET; 3 stalls and ample carriage room. Apply Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex street.

TO LET
House of 10 rooms in Belvidere. Hot and cold water, gas and bath. Rent low.
—APPLY—
468 CENTRAL ST.

FOR SALE
Real estate in all parts of the city on easy terms.
—APPLY—
468 CENTRAL ST.

HELP WANTED

EXPERIENCED THIMMER WANTed for factory work. Also experienced makers. Apply 133 Middle st., top floor.

GOOD COAT MAKER, PANTS MAKer, or vest maker wanted; also repairing and pressing clothes; steady work and good pay to the right man. Call at once. 365 Market st. Tel. 2742-4.

COMPETENT WELL KNOWN MAN wanted to take charge of store and to take orders outside part of the time. State age, occupation; if married. Salary no object to right man. A. B. C., Sun Office.

FIVE RELIABLE UNION PAPER hangers wanted at once. Apply 8.30 o'clock mornings. Wall Paper Dept. Nelson's Dept. Store.

EXPERIENCED DRESSMAKER wanted. Apply S. Goldman, 163 Dutton st., cor. Market st.

STENOGRAPHER AND TYPEWRITer wanted. A young lady experienced and competent, who also has a knowledge of bookkeeping, to fill position in the office of a well-known local business house. In answering advertisement state experience, salary expected and give references. Address E. A. W., Sun Office.

LADY OR GIRL WANTED EACH town, good pay spare time, copy names for advertisers, cash weekly. 12 cents for outfit. Dept. C, American Adv. Bureau, Leightons Corners, N. H.

MEN WANTED TO BECOME RAILway mail clerks. $90.00 month. May examinations in Lowell. Sample questions and coaching free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 159 O., Rochester, N. Y.

WORSTED COMB AND CARD ROOM hands wanted for night work. Apply Hillsborough Mills, Wilton, N. H.

FOR WOMEN ONLY—MARRIED ladies, widows, earn good salary. Promotion and field manager position to earnest workers. Write for territory. Sanitary Instrument Co., Meadville, Pa.

WORSTED DRAWING ROOM HELP wanted. Worsted twisters and spinners. Apply Hillsborough Mills, Wilton, N. H.

MEN WANTED TO LEARN THE automobile business; road driving and repairing. Send stamp for particulars. New England Auto School, 509 Tremont st., Boston, Mass.

MEN AND WOMEN!
ARE YOU MAKING LESS THAN $25 PER WEEK? Do you want to make that or more? Then write Dept. L., Box 1535, Boston, about yourself.

Wanted—Girls
To work on worsted, winding, mending and spooling; also apprentices wanted. Hafiner Employment Bureau, 77 Franklin st., Lawrence, Mass.

WANTED
Loopers to work on Hole hosiery, 22 point machine, steady work. Address Hartford Knitting Co., Hartford, Conn.

Barber Wanted
For Saturday at 235 Middlesex Street.

WANTED
DRAWERS AND SPINNERS, ALSO CAP AND FLYER DOFFERS AND DRESSER SPOOLERS
At Brookside Worsted Mills, Brookside, Mass.

WANTED

GOOD SECOND HAND UPRIGHT piano wanted for camp purposes. Address T. T., Sun Office.

CHILDREN WANTED TO BOARD for the summer, in Kenwood. Mrs. E. R. Williams, Huron st.

SPECIAL NOTICE
HOUSE, STORE AND BARN
Fine location for business on a main street. 8 rooms, bath, large lot of land. A snap at
$3000
NEAR AGAWAM STREET
Excellent 9-room house in perfect condition, with steam heat and large yard can be bought at reasonable figure.
NEAR ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH
Splendid 7-room cottage house on large corner lot. Several fruit trees. 3 sleeping rooms. Near cars.
$2300
Abel R. Campbell
417 Middlesex Street, Cor. Thorndike

OFFICE OF SUPPLY DEPARTMENT

Sealed proposals will be received at the Office of the Supply Department, for furnishing and purchasing the following supplies at dates below specified:

Req. 53,794. Chelmsford St. Hospital

1 carload stock hay for cattle.

To be delivered at Chelmsford Street hospital.

April 15, 1912, at 10 a. m.

Req. 53,835. Health Dept.

To sell manure at Health Yard from May 1, 1912, for one year.

There are 40 horses and straw is used for bedding.

April 15, 1912, at 10 a. m.

Req. 53,798. Sewer Dept.

Sewer pipe as per detailed specifications at Supply Office.

Thursday, April 18, 1912, at 11 a. m.

Req. 53,797. Sewer Dept.

Sewer castings as per detailed specifications at Supply Office.

Thursday, April 18, 1912, at 11 a. m.

All bids submitted to be in sealed envelopes, plainly marked on outside kind of material upon which bid is submitted.

EDWARD H. FOYE,
Purchasing Agent.
JAMES E. DONNELLY,
Commissioner of Finance.
Lowell, Mass., April 11, 1912.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FOR SALE

BABY CARRIAGE IN GOOD CONdition for sale. Will be sold cheap if taken at once. Apply 61 Wentworth avenue.

BRASS CORNET AND CASE FOR sale. Price $7. Apply 303 Westford st.

BABY CARRIAGE ALMOST NEW, very cheap, if sold at once, at No. 57 Stanley st.

THREE POOL TABLES FOR SALE cheap; in good condition. Inquire 77 East Merrimack st.

SINGLE COMB WHITE LEGHORNS (Scott's strain), 50c and 75c setting, none better. Cockerels, Single Comb Black Minorcas, fit to win any competition; imported English stock. Robert Scott, 102 Epping st., Wigginville.

FRENCH MANTEL CLOCK FOR sale; black marble case, case O. K. and movement guaranteed; good as new; cost $35; sell $10 cash. R. J. Q., 711 Central st.

BAKERS' OVEN ON EASY PAYments. Second hand ovens taken in exchange. Write for catalogue and prices. Dept. A, McDowell Oven Co., 156 State st., Boston, Mass.

CARRYALL, GODDARD BUGGY AND two driving harnesses, for sale; all in good condition. Apply at 31 Walker st. Telephone 3352-1.

NEW HICYCLES FOR SALE, $18 up. P. Keegan, 235 Moody st.

ROLLER CANARIES FOR SALE. Males and females. 102 Cross st.

MILK WAGON FOR SALE CHEAP, for single or two horse hitch. Inquire A. A. Brown, 74 Inland st. Tel. 2320.

Do You Want an ELEVATOR?
We have a dandy for sale. Come and look at it. Inquire at The Sun Office.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY FOR SALARIED PEOPLE—Women keeping house and others, advanced them without security, easy payments, cheapest rates. Don't worry or annoy friends about money, keep your credit good by paying as you agree. I will furnish you money to do it. D. H. Tolman, Room 403, 45 Merrimack st.

LOANS of $10 and Upwards
Can be secured at less than the legal rate of interest by obtaining our indorsement of your note.
AMERICAN Guaranty Co.
45 MERRIMACK STREET.
ROOMS 319-320
Open 8 a. m. to 6.30 p. m.; Mon. and Saturday 9 p. m.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

COTTAGE HOUSE FOR SALE. Inquire 28 Varney st.

7-ROOM COTTAGE FOR SALE, ¾ of an acre of land, barn and hen house. Lot of young fruit trees. Convenient to a number of public works, at 86 Swan st., off Boston road. J. W. Marshall.

FOR SALE
In Chelmsford Centre, nice place for small money.
Must be sold at once, 100 acre farm, with good building, large orchard, good land. Price $3000.
Near Beacon street, 8-room house with all improvements, large lot of land. Price $2500.
3 miles from Lowell, 35 acre farm with good building, lots of wood and timber. This can be bought at a bargain.
In Billerica 28 acre farm, good building, lots of hen houses for 500 hens. Lots of fruit. Price $3500.
In North Chelmsford, a nice place for small money.
G. L. HUBBARD,
26 Runels Building. Tel. 2183

NOTICE
We are now open, at 92 Gorham street, near post office, the store just vacated by the Ostroff & Sousa Co., who have moved across the street. A premium and furniture store. The only store of its kind north of Boston. We will trade in Green Trading stamps, tobacco tags, soap wrappers, Mother's Oats coupons, and will carry a sample line of first class furniture manufactured by the best furniture mills in the east.
CARR'S, 92 Gorham St
NEAR POST OFFICE
On your way to the market just drop in and see the drop head sewing machines we sell for $15. Remember the place. CARR'S, Near Post Office.

POST EASTER PHOTOS
Great reduction in prices. Cabinet photos, $1, $1.50 and $2 per dozen. We also make post cards, 75c per dozen. All work guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. J. Champlin, Photo Artist, 737 Aiken st., cor. Lakeview ave., Lowell, Mass.

Farm near Canobie Lake, 15 acres, good soil, 7-room house, pantry, shed, hen house, carriage house, barn, 32x65, all in good condition. 5 minutes' walk to depot; 1 mile to electrics. A bargain at $2200, $500 cash, balance at 5 per cent interest.
W. E. DODGE
22 Central Street

City, Village and Country Property, Investments, Hotels, Etc.
C. W. Johnson & Son
Houghton, Plain and Carter Sts.
Phone 2030

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Att.	From Boston. Lve.	Att.
5.45	6.50	6.24	7.12
x6.35	7.41	7.24	8.27
6.45	7.39	7.55	8.45
b6.40	7.58	b8.21	9.22
7.00	8.00	9.00	9.57
7.21	8.05	10.00	10.55
8.31	8.47	11.30	12.07
7.53	8.35	12.30	1.01
8.52	9.38	1.00	1.57
b8.13	10.25	2.00	2.54
9.45	10.28	3.00	3.37
10.02	11.12	z3.51	6.02
10.49	11.50	4.00	4.55
12.13	1.00	z4.14	5.22
1.47	2.25	5.00	5.37
2.24	3.21	z5.21	6.20
3.02	4.40	5.27	5.15
4.32	5.27	z5.51	7.06
5.25	6.20	z6.14	7.32
b6.11	7.14	7.30	8.05
6.17	7.00	8.30	9.00
7.23	8.00	10.30	11.35
9.46	10.30	11.17	12.15

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Att.	From Boston. Lve.	Att.
6.46	7.65	x6.55	8.10
8.08	9.10	9.24	10.24
10.10	11.19	10.55	11.54
10.55	12.00	11.50	12.54
12.02	1.10	2.14	3.29
z1.30	2.35	3.35	4.45
5.17	6.25	5.14	6.10
7.00	8.00	6.03	7.04
10.28	11.12	6.35	7.48
		9.59	10.58

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.30	9.30	8.00	9.06
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.50	6.00	2.14	3.23
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.41
8.50	11.02	5.20	6.38
		8.40	9.42

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.45	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.21	8.05	10.00	10.56
7.35	8.39	11.30	12.07
8.43	9.49	1.00	1.39
9.20	10.12	5.00	6.02
10.23	11.24	7.30	8.08
2.08	2.45	8.30	9.08
5.15	6.50	9.00	10.02
6.25	7.05	10.14	10.52
7.21	8.01	10.29	11.35
9.46	10.52		

References:

x Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
z Via Wilmington Junction.
s Via Salem Jct.

LOCAL NEWS

Try Tobin's Printery next time.

Try Lawler's for Printing, 39 Prescott.

Rogers Millinery, 440 Gorham street.

Watuppas, Prescott, Miner's, tonight.

Mr. Eugene Jutras and his sister, Miss Albina Jutras of Manchester, N. H., are visiting relatives in this city.

Girl wanted for general housework. Must be good cook and give references. Apply evenings at 279 Nesmith street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dextra, who were the guests of Mr. Joseph Dextra of Merrimack street have returned to their home in Worcester.

The musical program that was so excellently given at the Sacred Heart church last Sunday will be repeated at the services next Sunday.

The second in a series of illustrated lectures was given on St. Francis de Sales last night at St. Joseph's college hall. The lecturer was Rev. Fr. Baron, O. M. I., director of the order of St. Francis, and he handled his subject in a very interesting manner. The attendance was very large and the receipts which will be devoted to the purchase of a banner for the third order of St. Francis were satisfactory.

The Crimson A. C. held a social time at the home of its new president, Mr. Harold Kirkpatrick, last night. After a business meeting in which they made plans for their annual camp and spoke over baseball matters, a very enjoyable concert was given by the different members, the feature being the comedy songs of John Mullarky. The piano solos by Mr. Kirkpatrick and the violin solos by Doherty were well received. After refreshments were served the evening was spent in pleasant chat. At a late hour the members left, all voting a very good time.

ASLEEP IN FIELD

MAN FOUND IN BAD PHYSICAL CONDITION

Joseph Coughlin, aged about 37 years, was found lying in a field off Billings street about 7.30 o'clock this morning. He was placed under arrest and subsequently sent to the police station.

It is alleged that the man was under the influence of liquor and probably lost his way last night and wandering into the field, fell asleep and remained there until found this morning. When awakened he was shivering with the cold and was in a poor physical condition.

Patrolman Palmer and another man assisted Coughlin to a nearby house where a woman provided tea. Later word was sent to the police station and the man was placed under arrest. He will be brought into court tomorrow morning if his condition permits.

LICENSE BOARD

Made Tour of Inspection This Morning

The members of the license commission, accompanied by Supt. Redmond Welch and Clerk John J. Flaherty, resumed the work of inspecting the premises where liquor licenses were applied for. The commissioners spent the greater portion of last Tuesday inspecting the different places. It is doubtful if they will be able to finish the inspection tonight.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

COMMITTEE MET

To Discuss the Miners Trouble

PHILADELPHIA, April 12.—The sub committee of eight representing the miners and operators who are endeavoring to reach an agreement on a new wage arrangement for the anthracite mine workers went into session again shortly after 10 o'clock today with the prospect that they will sit all day. Several of the members before entering the conference room in the Reading terminal said they expected it would be several days before they would be able to make a report to the full committee. When they are ready to report an agreement or failure to arrive at a satisfactory agreement a call will be sent out for a meeting of the full committee in this city. Nothing concerning the work of the sub-committee will be given until it reports to the general committee of the miners and operators.

HID $75 IN STOVE

Then His Wife Started the Fire

PROVIDENCE, April 12.—George Jacques of Wheaton street heard burglars about his house Wednesday night and stealthily hid $75 in bills in a parlor stove. He arose early yesterday and went down town on business, forgetting the money.

As Mrs. Jacques expected company from Brockton, Mass., she started a glowing blaze in the stove and it was too late to decipher the denomination of the bills when Jacques returned home breathless. He fainted and a doctor was called.

Mrs. Margaret Clancy of 18 Danforth street thought the ice box in her home a good place to hide her cash. She put $24 in the receptacle and placed it in the cooler yesterday afternoon. When she went to get some money for household expenses, however, the entire $24 was missing.

She swooned. Later she summoned the police.

FINE PROGRAM

GIVEN AT LOWELL CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC

A delightful concert was given last night at the Lowell Conservatory of Music in Appleton street, when the 36th public recital of the conservatory was held. The program was varied and very interesting and was as follows:

"L'Alerte" .....Berb. Op. 572
"Fanfare Militaire (four hands),
Miss Marion Blodgett, Mrs. Henrietta Bond.
Song, "Whisper, and I Shall Hear," Piccolomini
Miss Mary A. B. Mack.
Violin obligato,
Mrs. E. Wentworth.
"Flora" .....Wenzel
Miss Grace Sullivan.
(a) "Air de Ballet".....Chaminade
(b) "Automne" .....Chaminade
Miss Lena Camire.
Song, "Come When the Lindens Bloom," Buck, Op. 87, No. 1
Mr. Fred G. Bond.
"If I Were King," Overture....Adams
Miss Ernestine Alexander.
"Mignon Overture," (four hands),
Mrs. Carrie Dawson Chase, Miss Marion Louise Blodgett.
Song, "Polonaise," (from Mignon), Thomas
Mrs. Mary Fiske.
"Magnolia Intermezzo,"
Bernice Knight.
"Marquis Minuet,"
Agnes Pollard.
Song, "Springtime" .....Stern
Miss Irene Parthenais.
"Rosary,"
Mr. Richard O'Connell.
"Priest's March," (from Athaliah), Handel
Miss Valentine Mary Louise Girard.
"Evening Star" .....Tannhauser
Miss Ellen Christian.
"Venetian Serenade"...E. Fredericksen
Mrs. Ethel Lundgren.
"Valse Brillante" .....Rubenstein
"Wedding Procession" ....Rubenstein
Miss Marion Louise Blodgett.
(a) "Spinnradchen" .....Bendel
(b) "Cupid's Garden".....Eugene
Mrs. Carrie Dawson Chase.
"Aralin" Mazurka de Salon, (four hands) ..... Adams
Mrs. Henrietta Bond, Miss Bernice Knight.

The following pianoforte graduates of the conservatory took part in this recital: Mrs. Carrie Dawson Chase, Miss Ernestine Alexander, Miss Valentino Mary L. Girard, and Miss Lena Camire.

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THE HOME RULE BILL

Is Sure of a Majority of at Least 100 Votes

LONDON, April 12.—Before leaving the house of commons last night after the introduction of Home Rule bill, John E. Redmond, Irish leader, said of the new bill:

"It is a great measure; far greater, both from the political and financial points of view than either of Mr. Gladstone's bills were, so far as Ireland is concerned.

"I have not the slightest doubt, as I declared in the house of commons this afternoon, that the bill will be adopted by an overwhelming majority of the Irish people at the National convention, which we propose holding in the Mansion house in Dublin on April 23.

"The Home Rule bill will go through the house of commons this session by an enormous majority. Whether the house of lords will reject it or not I don't know, but it will pass into law, and you can tell our friends in America so."

John Dillon said: "The bill is a great measure, an improvement in every respect on the bills of 1886 and 1893. I am convinced it will be accepted by Irish nationalists all over the world as settlement of the Irish national question and a solid basis for reconciliation between the Irish and the English people.

"I trust that all friends of Ireland in America will aid the government in passing this great measure by the invaluable support of the public opinion of the American people."

Irish Members Enthusiastic

The members of the Irish party in the house of commons are enthusiastic about the bill as outlined by Asquith. Its printed details will not be available

until after division at 11, Tuesday night, when vote will be on, giving leave to print bill.

The result is a foregone conclusion, and home rule is certain to win by about 100 majority, allowing for absentees.

IRISH PAPERS

COMMENT ON HOME RULE BILL

DUBLIN, April 12.—The nationalist papers of Ireland on the whole consider the government's Home Rule bill as satisfactory, although some of them profess to regard it as not being final. The Freeman's Journal describes the bill as the greatest, the boldest and the most generous of the three Home Rule bills, and says:

"We should not be surprised to find it received with hearty welcome by the Irish party."

The Irish Times (unionist) says:

"The measure will prove utterly unworkable as to offer no middle course between complete separation from England and a return to the status of the union."

The Irish Independent remarks:

"It would probably be correct in describing the bill to say that it gives us three-quarters of what we expected and probably not so large a share of what we demanded. The measure cannot be regarded as final."

The Cork Free Press says:

"The government's scheme is not a solution of the Irish problem."

Rev. Walter Z. Plaisance, O. M. I., of the Tewksbury novitiate is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Plaisance of 88 Hamilton street, Worcester.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TRIMMED HATS

Bargains

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

200 Trimmed Hats, priced from $3.98 up to $6.98

100 Trimmed Hats, priced from $8 up to $20

Every one of them the best value you ever saw at this time of the year.

Head & Shaw

The Milliners,

35 JOHN STREET

NEW SPRING UNDERWEAR

Crepe Underwear is growing in favor, because it does not crush like smooth finished weaves, is soft, clinging and launders easily; does not require ironing.

We are showing new combinations, chemise and long skirts of crepe, trimmed with insertions and edgings of fine torchon at..... 97c

Corset Covers of crepe, lace trimmed, neck run with ribbon, at..... 50c

New styles in white petticoats—one particularly attractive number has deep flounce of hamburg in Grecian pattern, with wide insertion to match at top of flounce; another style has flounce of fish eye lace and insertion, combined with insertions of the daintiest hamburg. You will wonder how we can sell them for..... $1.97

Handsome new silk petticoats of lustrous chiffon taffeta, in beautiful new changeable effects; close fitting top, sectional flare flounce, silk underlay. $7.00 value. Special price $5.00

THE WHITE STORE

116 Merrimack St.

JAMES ST. HILAIRE

Installed Chief Forester for Third Term

The regular meeting of Court St. Louis, F. F. A., was held last night in the Centralville Social club rooms in Lakeview avenue with a very large attendance. Chief Forester James St. Hilaire occupied the chair and considerable routine business was transacted. The feature of the evening was the installation of the recently elected officers, which was done with all the formalities of the order.

JAMES ST. HILAIRE,
Chief Forester.

Deputy Henri Chaput acted as installing officer and he was assisted by Rosider Leclerc and Delphis Belleville.

The officers installed were as follows:

James St. Hilaire, who was installed chief forester for the third consecutive term; Hercule A. Toupin, vice chief forester; Rosider Leclerc, past chief forester; Isidore Trudel, recording secretary; Godfrei Caron, financial secretary; J. A. Maille, treasurer; Severin Hebert, Severin St. George, guards; Auguste Jodoin, Aurel Camel, sentinels; J. B. Carbonneau, Edmond Traversy and J. E. Jemery, trustees; J. J. E. Bellemare, dean; Rev. L. C. Bedard, chaplain.

At the close of the business meeting a social hour was held, during which time refreshments were served by Messrs. Severin Hebert and Severin St. George.

ROOSEVELT MEN

ARE IN THE FIGHT TO A FINISH

BAY CITY, Mich., April 12.—"Of course we are going to Chicago," said Charles Nichols, Col. Roosevelt's Michigan manager, last night. "We announced when we got into this fight that we were in it to a finish," he continued, "and we meant what we said. There is no question but that the Taft forces conducted their convention in an illegal manner. While they locked out more than 150 of our delegates they opened the doors to men who had no credentials and permitted them to act as delegates."

GRAND OPENING SALE

"Centralville Heights"

Where is Centralville Heights?

Well, I will tell you. Take the CHRISTIAN HILL CAR, go up CHRISTIAN HILL and as the car turns around the corner from TENTH street into BEACON street have the car stopped and you get off, take a ONE MINUTE'S WALK up TENTH street, on the right hand side and towards the new reservoir, and there you are. Turn around, look towards the city and see the GRAND PANORAMIC view of Lowell's great mills and all her varied industries, and beautiful homes and the winding Merrimack river, and look off towards the hills and mountains of New Hampshire and you will behold one of the GRANDEST VIEWS that God made when he made this earth.

There are 31 HOUSE LOTS and you can have your choice of any one of them if you come early to the sale. These lots are located on TENTH, MUNROE, LLEWELLYN AND RICHARDS STREETS and lay between Tenth street and new Reservoir, and contain from 4200 to 5635 SQUARE FEET.

The GROUND FLOOR PRICES are from 8c TO 10c per square foot, a few of the choicest lots a little higher. These lots will be sold on easy terms and we stand ready to build houses on this property on the rental plan to the right parties.

ITS ADVANTAGES:

FIRST—Its close proximity to the city, only eight minutes' car ride from Merrimack square, and one minute's walk to the CHRISTIAN HILL car line at the corner of TENTH and BEACON streets.

SECOND—Its beautiful view.

THIRD—Its healthful location.

FOURTH—Its low price, but not cheap property.

FIFTH—Freeness from city smoke, dust, noise, etc., and many other advantages that I have not enough room to tell about, but come and see us and we will tell them to you.

I firmly believe that this, the highest part of CENTRALVILLE, is just what the HOME SEEKING PEOPLE of CENTRALVILLE, and people wishing to locate in this section of the city, have been looking for for a long time. CENTRALVILLE people love their own neighborhood and most of them refuse to move out of CENTRALVILLE, although from time to time I have offered them several of my choicest sites, such as the "LOWELL HIGHLANDS," land around the HIGHLAND CLUB HOUSE and BELVIDERE, and other sections of the city.

I am a HIGH LAND MAN and wherever I look for land to sell I look for HIGH LAND.

Now I prophesy that any lot which is bought now, at the prices named above, the purchaser can make from $100 TO $300 on every lot between now and next Easter. This was true at the "LOWELL HIGHLANDS" and I know of several parties who made over $300 on the lot they bought at our opening prices.

NO LOTS CAN BE BOUGHT AND NO DEPOSITS on any one of these lots will be accepted until the

OPENING SALE

Saturday, April 13, 1912, at 2 P. M.

We will show these lots to you at any time you wish to see them or you can go and see them yourself alone, if you wish, but I will not sell any, as they are ON SHOW ONLY until the sale.

I have always advised the Real Estate Buyers in regard to the buying of house lots to their FINANCIAL ADVANTAGE and seldom, if ever, has the customer failed to make a profit, if he sold it, or has been helped and shown by me how to secure and own a home, and I point with pride to the many satisfied customers in this city, who would not have owned their own home if I had not first influenced them to buy a house lot and then to build their own home,

—FOR—

"YOUR SATISFACTION IS OUR SUCCESS"

NOW STOP paying rent just as soon as you possibly can. You have got to take the FIRST STEP and that STEP IS TO BUY a HOUSE LOT. Consult, at any time, about this FIRST STEP with

Eugene G. Russell

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TOMORROW AFTERNOON AT 2.30 O'CLOCK

Absolute sale at public auction. Four acres of land in Chelmsford, also 5 head of cattle, one farm horse, one-horse dumpcart, square wagon, open buggy, 2 sleighs and 2 sets of harness. The four acres is known as part of Dunn's farm and is located at the junction of the old Westford road and the road leading to Chelmsford Centre. The lot has a large frontage on the above roads. It is high and dry and all walled in. It would make an excellent building site as you have a beautiful view of the surrounding country and about every part of Lowell can be seen on a good clear day. This parcel is situated about half way between North Chelmsford and Chelmsford Centre. It is within three hundred yards of the well known Putnam farm and about five hundred yards from McLarney square. Now then, if you want to locate in the country and still be very convenient to the city, this is your opportunity. Immediately following the sale of real estate I shall sell at the Driscoll farm, which is close by, 5 head of cattle; 1 farm horse weighing 1150 lbs.; 1 one-horse dumpcart; square wagon; open buggy; 2 harnesses, and 2 sleighs. Four of the cattle are young stock that have been raised on the farm here. Inquire for Driscoll's farm, McLarney square, Chelmsford Mass.

Terms: $100 to be paid to the auctioneer as soon as struck off and personal property cash.

By order of
WILLIAM DRISCOLL, Chelmsford Centre.

ON APRIL 23 I SHALL SELL THE REMAINING LIVERY STOCK OF THE BOSTON CAB CO., CONSISTING OF 46 HORSES, 75 CARRIAGES AND 60 SET OF HARNESSES. FOR FULL PARTICULARS SEE THIS PAPER LATER.

THOMAS H. KELLEY, Auctioneer

OFFICE 119 PAIGE ST. TEL. 2489

TOMORROW AFTERNOON AT 4 O'CLOCK

PLEDGED TO ABSOLUTE AUCTION SALE, THE LARGE, TWO-STORY, 12-ROOM HOUSE SITUATED AT 55 FRANKLIN STREET, WITH SLATED ROOF AND GENEROUS AMOUNT OF LAND, CLOSE TO NUMEROUS MILLS AND SHOPS, TO BE SOLD TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER.

This house was built by the late Mr. Arthur Staples for a home, and is one of the best constructed houses in the city. The finish downstairs is in black walnut, and parlor and sitting room have marble mantels and fireplaces. There is a quartered oak floor in the dining room. Rooms are high posted, both upstairs and down. Cellar is large, well lighted and has a cement floor and is provided with coal bins, vegetable cellar, etc. A new furnace was put in the present year. There are two doors at the front, one leading to the front hall and stairway, the other opening into a hall which connects with the dining room. For a very small amount of money this property might be turned into a two-apartment house, and would not necessitate any changes to the outside of the house.

Downstairs there are parlor, sitting room, hall, dining room, kitchen, large wash room and unfinished room at the rear, which could readily be changed into a sleeping room. The kitchen is provided with sink, and is piped with brass pipes for hot water. Wash room has set tubs and set boiler, bricked in.

The second floor has six rooms and bath, and a large unfinished attic.

At the rear of the lot is a well-constructed shed which is suitable for auto garage. There is a large veranda on the westerly side of the house. The buildings have quite recently been treated to a coat of paint, and will not need attention for several years. The roof is of Munson slate, the best obtainable. Home is piped throughout for gas, the parlor and sitting room having chandeliers of cut glass.

This property is to be offered at absolute sale, as the present owners have not time for its proper care. Property of this character is seldom offered at auction, and tenements in this part of the city are seldom idle. There are a dozen or more small shops and factories in the immediate vicinity, and this property affords an excellent opportunity to start a boarding house or lodging house; in fact, the present owners have had several offers for the property for lodging house purposes, by people who desired to hire the same.

A generous amount of purchase price can remain on mortgage. For terms and other conditions of sale apply to the auctioneer.

THOMAS H. KELLEY, Auctioneer.

SIMON B. HARRIS - - - Auctioneer

Office, Room 4, Central Block, Lowell, Mass.

Commissioners' Sale of Real Estate at

Public Auction

ON SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 1912, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M., ON THE PREMISES KNOWN AS NO. 21 AND NO. 25 WEST FIFTH AVE., LOWELL (PAWTUCKETVILLE).

LOT NO. 1 consists of a 7-room cottage in good repair inside. The lot contains 2800 square feet, fenced; gas, city water, sewer connections.

LOT NO. 2—Immediately after the sale of Lot No. 1, we will offer for sale Lot No. 2, consisting of a 7-room cottage in good rentable condition. The lot contains 2800 square feet, fenced; gas, city water, sewer connections.

The above described real estate is located close to electric car line, church, school, stores, in a good neighborhood. Any person looking for a snug little home at auction price will do well to attend this sale, which will be positively without limit or reserve.

TERMS: $150 must be paid to the auctioneer upon each parcel when the property is struck off. Other terms will be announced at the time and place of sale.

By order of THOMAS J. ROCHE,
JOHN J. HARVEY,
GEORGE F. STILES,
Commissioners.